

THE TWENTY-FIRST  
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OF THE  
Receipts and Expenditures  
OF THE  
CITY OF CONCORD,  
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING  
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## MUNICIPAL REGULATIONS.

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CITY CLERK'S OFFICE,  
CITY OF CONCORD, FEB. 1, 1874. }

*To persons having claims against the city:*

All persons furnishing materials or service for the city, or aid to city paupers, should be particular to take the name of the person ordering such service, material, or aid, and should *know* that the person is duly authorized to contract said liability.

The city will not be holden for merchandise sold or delivered on city pauper account, except on the written order of the Overseer of the Poor, and for no longer time than until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

Duplicate copies will be required of all bills payable by the city, furnished on county pauper account.

All bills against the city must be approved by the person authorizing the charge; and unless this is done, no action can be had upon the bill by the committee on accounts, and no order will be given for its payment.

When bills are certified to as above, and left with the city clerk before twelve o'clock of the day of meeting of the committee on accounts, they will be audited by them, and, if approved, be ready for payment on the Wednesday following.

Meetings of the committees are held on the Thursday next preceding the last Saturday of each month, at two o'clock p. m., which will occur the present year, Feb. 26, March 26, April 23, May 28, June 25, July 23, Aug. 27, Sept. 24, Oct. 29, Nov. 26, Dec. 24, Jan. 28, Feb. 25.

C. F. STEWART, *City Clerk.*

# CITY GOVERNMENT,

CONCORD, N. H., 1873-74.

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MAYOR.

HON. JOHN KIMBALL.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

- Ward 1. John S. Brown.  
" 2. George H. Curtis.  
" 3. Daniel Holden.  
" 4. Joseph B. Walker.  
" 5. George A. Pillsbury.  
" 6. Albe J. Hall.  
" 7. Jacob E. Hutchins.

C. F. STEWART, *City Clerk*.

COMMON COUNCILMEN.

DANIEL E. HOWARD, *President*.

- Ward 1. Daniel G. Holmes, John C. Linehan.  
" 2. William A. Bean, John G. Tallant.  
" 3. Andrew S. Farnum, Daniel C. Tenney.  
" 4. Daniel E. Howard, Richard M. Ordway.  
" 5. Joseph A. Cochran, Cyrus N. Corning.  
" 6. John L. T. Brown, Moses B. Smith.  
" 7. John Hazeltine, James B. Fellows.

LEWIS L. MOWER, *Clerk*.

## JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

*On Finance*—The Mayor, Alderman Pillsbury; Councilmen Holmes and Smith.

*On Accounts and Claims*—Alderman Walker; Councilmen Brown and Cochran.

*On Lands and Buildings*—Alderman Hutchins; Councilmen Bean and Hazeltine.

*On Public Instruction*—Alderman Curtis; Councilmen Linehan and Corning.

*On Streets and Commons*—Alderman Hall; Councilmen Corning and Ordway.

*On Roads and Bridges*—Alderman Pillsbury; Councilmen Fellows and Tallant.

*On Fire Department*—Alderman Pillsbury; Councilmen Cochran and Brown.

*On Lighting Streets*—Alderman Hall; Councilmen Smith and Ordway.

*On City Farm*—Alderman Holden; Councilmen Tenney and Holmes.

*On Cemeteries*—Alderman Brown; Councilmen Bean and Farnum.

## STANDING COMMITTEES IN BOARD OF MAYOR AND ALDERMEN.

*On Elections and Returns*—Alderman Hall.

*On Engrossed Ordinances*—Alderman Curtis.

*On Bills in Second Reading*—Alderman Brown.

*On Police and Licenses*—Alderman Holden.

*On Sewers and Drains*—The Mayor, Aldermen Walker and Hutchins.

## STANDING COMMITTEES IN COMMON COUNCIL.

*Elections*—Messrs. Holmes, Fellows, and Tallant.

*Bills in Second Reading*—Messrs. Linehan, Tenney, and Hazeltine.

*Engrossed Ordinances*—Messrs. Cochran, Smith, and Farnum.

## CITY OFFICERS.

*City Clerk*—C. F. Stewart. Office in City Hall building, south entrance; house, 267 Main street.

*City Treasurer*—Samuel C. Eastman. Office, Rumford block, Main street, up stairs.

*Assessors*—John A. Holmes, John P. Locke, Moses H. Farnum, John Abbott, Curtis White, Joseph Wentworth, Andrew S. Smith.

*City Solicitor*—Charles P. Sanborn.

*Collector of Taxes*—William H. Allison. Office, Rumford block.

*City Marshal*—John Connell.

*Assistant Marshal*—John Chadwick, Fisherville.

*Night Watch*—James E. Rand, Charles H. Jones.

*City Physician*—Granville P. Conn.

*Assistant City Physician*—C. C. Topliff, Fisherville.

*Overseer of the Poor for Wards 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7*—C. F. Stewart.

*Health Officers*—John Connell, Dr. G. P. Conn, and Alderman Albe J. Hall.

*Police Justice*—Sylvester Dana.

*Special Police Justice*—Arthur Fletcher.

*Superintending School Committee for Wards 1, 2, 3, and 7*—Isaac N. Abbott, Rev. Hiram B. Putnam, and Rev. A. Burnham.

*Trustees of the Public Library*—Ward 1, Albert W. Fiske; Ward 2, Joseph T. Clough; Ward 3, H. B. Putnam; Ward 4, Joseph D. Bartley; Ward 5, S. L. Blake; Ward 6, James H. Eames; Ward 7, Jeremiah S. Noyes.

*Old and Blossom Hill Cemetery Committee*—C. C. Lund, Enoch Gerrish, and George A. Blanchard.

*East Concord Cemetery Committee*—George W. Lake, John B. Curtis, and Timothy W. Emery.

*Fisherville Woodlawn Cemetery Committee*—John A. Holmes, Charles C. Bean, and John A. Coburn.

*West Concord Cemetery Committee*—George E. Holden, Chandler Eastman, and Timothy Carter.

*Undertakers*—For Old and Blossom Hill Cemeteries, Charles Crow; Ward 1, Fisherville, John A. Coburn; Ward 2, George W. Moody; Ward 3, Simeon Partridge; Millville, William H. Currier; Horse Hill Cemetery, George Abbott.

*Superintendent of Repairs of Highways and Bridges*—John Kimball.

*Lamplighter*—Richard P. Sanborn.

*Police Officers*—John Connell, Charles H. Jones, James E. Rand, Charles W. Davis, Harrison Partridge, James M. Jones, and John Chadwick.

# REPORT

## OF THE

# COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

FEBRUARY 1, 1874.

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The Joint Standing Committee on Finance herewith respectfully submit their annual report of the receipts and expenditures of the financial department of the city government for the year ending the 31st day of January, 1874:

The city treasurer respectfully submits the following report of receipts and expenditures for the year ending January 31, 1874:

### RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, February 1, 1873,	\$17,363.51
Taxes of 1870,	200.00
“ 1871,	360.00
“ 1872,	22,700.00
“ 1873,	126,500.00
Interest on taxes of 1871,	240.00
“ “ 1872,	900.00
County of Merrimack, paupers,	2,314.23
“ “ incidentals,	12.68
State of N. Hampshire, Savings Bank tax,	13,810.81
“ “ Railroad tax,	25,824.52
“ “ Literary fund,	1,066.00
“ “ Insurance tax,	1.87
Interest,	4,332.41
C. F. Stewart, city paupers,	194.63
John Kimball, supt. highways and bridges,	81.05
“ roads and bridges,	268.55



Rents,	\$111.38
State of New Hampshire, U. S. Bounties,	758.40
J. Woods, on note,	145.00
Borrowed of sundry individuals,	27,550.00
Bonds sold,	877.00
Interest thereon,	17.89
John Kimball, sale of ward 6 ward-house,	280.00
“ land sold at West Concord,	50.00
“ Sewall's Falls bridge,	1,000.00
“ sewer brick sold,	56.80
J. S. Merrill, sale of hose, &c.,	26.00
John Kimball, gas precinct,	14.00
Licenses,	250.00
John Kimball, incidentals,	30.00
“ fire department,	595.00
Amoskeag Mfg. Co., “	10.00
Moses Humphrey, “	20.00
Wm. H. Allison, “	2.50
Blossom Hill cemetery, one half sales.	531.20
S. Dana, police justice,	1,231.14
A. Fletcher, “	34.12
Stone quarries,	533.11
Sewerage ordinance, 1854,	135.01
Interest thereon,	6.47
Sewerage assessed in 1871,	233.00
Interest thereon,	58.41
Anthony Coleman, city pauper,	26.00
	<hr/> \$250,752.69

## EXPENDITURES.

Printing and stationery,	\$822.10
Sewall's Falls bridge,	9,161.59
Precinct tax,	2,593.41
State tax,	28,728.00
County tax,	15,924.60
City stable and store-house,	1,948.62
School-house taxes,	11,181.18
Public Library,	500.00
Professional services,	632.00
City bounties,	700.00
Notes paid,	18,100.00
Sewers and drains,	3,496.49
Blossom Hill cemetery,	3,562.50
Committees' services,	890.00
Precinct interest,	3,394.87

Police and watch,	\$4,203.85
Non-resident bank tax,	21.31
Hose, carriage-houses, and ward-house,	9,107.55
Bonds paid,	2,600.00
Dog tax,	42.00
Parsonage fund,	290.64
Salaries,	5,247.98
Superintendent of repairs of highways and bridges,	9,637.29
Incidentals,	6,492.23
Interest,	21,366.05
County paupers,	2,209.54
Roads and bridges,	8,882.65
City paupers,	2,681.47
Fire department,	13,040.29
Highway districts,	4,453.45
Schools,	25,458.75
East Concord bridge,	22,318.91
	<hr/> \$239,689.32
Balance cash on hand,	11,063.37
	<hr/> \$250,752.69

Respectfully submitted.

SAMUEL C. EASTMAN, *Treasurer.*

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CONCORD, February 1, 1874.

We have examined the treasurer's books and those of the city clerk, and find that all the payments therein recorded are duly authenticated by appropriate vouchers, and that the several items are correctly cast.

JOHN KIMBALL,	} <i>Committee</i> <i>on</i> <i>Finance.</i>
GEO. A. PILLSBURY,	
DANIEL G. HOLMES,	
MOSES B. SMITH,	

## EXPENDITURES

OF THE CITY OF CONCORD, FOR THE YEAR END-  
ING FEBRUARY 1, 1874.

## STATE TAX.

Paid State Treasurer, \$28,728.00

## COUNTY TAX.

Paid County Treasurer, \$15,924.60

## PAUPER ACCOUNT.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$1,701.79
Appropriation, 1873.	2,400.00
Received of Merrimack county for sup- port of county paupers, 1872,	2,314.23
Received of sundry parties,	59.00
Received of New Boston,	6.00
Received of Chichester,	42.49
Received of A. Coleman,	113.13
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	\$6,636.64

## CITY PAUPERS.

## EXPENDITURES.

Paid as follows:

John A. Coburn, undertaker,	\$11.00
George Abbott, “	2.00
N. H. Asylum,	271.33
Eastman, Currier & Co., groceries,	61.45
John A. Coburn, undertaker,	14.50
Thos. C. Campbell, rent,	5.00
Gage & Conn, professional services,	19.25
Thomas Eastman, support of Geo. Eastman,	14.00
B. F. & D. Holden,	6.25
Saltmarsh & Sleeper, wood,	5.00
W. A. Bean, wood,	6.50
Geo. F. Whittredge,	35.41
J. C. Linehan, wood,	8.20
State Reform School,	68.57
John Harrington, support of son at asylum,	34.17

N. H. Asylum,	\$322.36	
E. D. Clough & Co., groceries,	3.00	
W. A. Bean, wood,	3.25	
Gage & Conn, professional services,	3.00	
John C. Linchan, wood,	6.91	
John Harrington, support of son at asylum,	30.00	
State Reform School,	95.43	
N. H. Asylum,	322.72	
Gardner K. Knowles, for son,	39.00	
Eastman, Currier & Co., groceries,	50.98	
Frank Ordway, aid to wife of Francis A. Hoyt,	35.05	
J. Frank Hoit, groceries,	64.00	
Albert Webster, agent, groceries,	19.42	
John S. Brown, aid to poor,	12.50	
J. C. Linchan, aid to Catherine Baker,	36.16	
John Harrington, support of son at asylum,	35.78	
State Reform School,	78.00	
Timothy E. Hoit, support of Mary Page,	10.30	
A. G. Saltmarsh, wood,	89.66	
N. H. Asylum,	236.97	
C. D. Rowell, wood,	2.50	
Geo. F. Whittredge, aid to poor,	124.51	
Charles Crow, undertaker,	8.00	
George Abbott, “	2.25	
J. D. Taylor, wood,	7.50	
T. C. Campbell,	5.00	
E. Emery, wood to Mr. Price,	5.00	
T. C. Campbell, rent,	5.00	
J. S. Brown, aid to poor,	18.20	
Lyman Merrill, aid to Mr. Price,	5.00	
State Reform School,	78.00	
A. & G. A. Foster, horse hire,	1.00	
J. Harrington, support of son at asylum,	35.00	
N. H. Asylum,	274.99	
J. F. Hoyt, aid to Mrs. Flynn,	44.00	
Geo. F. Whittredge,	8.40	
	<hr/>	\$2,681.47

## COUNTY PAUPERS.

Paid as follows:

Geo. H. Sanborn, board of J. Canott,	\$50.00
John A. Coburn, undertaker,	8.00
Eastman, Currier & Co., groceries,	134.44
John A. Coburn, undertaker,	15.00
Charles P. Virgin, rent for Mrs. Coty,	38.00
Concord Railroad, fare,	3.00

William Powers, board of child,	\$8.75
John Connell, aid to transient persons,	28.83
Lizzie Adams, care of Thomas Bogue,	16.25
John S. Brown, aid to paupers,	85.72
John S. Brown, " "	47.84
C. C. Toplift, professional services,	55.45
John Chadwick, aid to transient persons,	9.29
Gage & Conn, professional services for A. Bourden,	4.00
John S. Brown, aid to John Haines,	45.56
City farm, board of D. Lawson,	40.75
Henry F Brown,	7.25
Hall & Foote, groceries,	7.00
J. S. Dutton, lodging strangers,	4.62
Philip Pelkey, fare of L. Wyett,	3.00
William Marsh, rent,	48.00
H. B. Rand, services taking McCarty to farm,	5.00
McNeil & Carter, groceries,	21.06
Gage & Conn, professional services for D. Jameson,	29.50
J. C. Linchan, groceries for Mary Owen,	24.00
Ferrin & Badger, groceries for Fred Henks,	5.00
G. S. Locke & Co., wood,	20.00
R. N. Myers, care of Mary M. Stone,	7.05
J. H. Rowell, conveying McCarty to farm,	19.00
Cone & Everett, medicine for Mrs. Ramsdell,	2.00
John L. Tallent, aid to Mrs. Stevens,	6.00
N. R. Emery, aid to Mrs. Glover,	10.00
E. D. Clough, groceries for E. Bazro,	8.00
S. E. Hamilton, rent for Mrs. Philbrick,	12.00
John McNeil & Co., aid to Mrs. Haines,	21.00
C. P. Virgin, rent for Mrs. Coty,	37.00
Charles Crow, 3 burials,	21.00
H. A. Kendall, aid to Mary M. Stone,	6.00
Robert Crowther, aid to transient persons,	1.50
Mrs. Wm. Powers, board of child,	10.00
J. C. Linchan, groceries for Mary Owen,	39.00
Gage & Conn, professional services,	125.75
Northern Railroad, fares,	11.25
Concord & Portsmouth Railroad, fares,	1.60
Concord Railroad, fares,	7.60
Frank Evans, aid to J. Cooney,	36.50
Mary Clay, board of J. A. Greenough,	19.30
Mrs. John Carter, aid to Rebecca Carter,	104.00
Eastman, Currier & Co., aid to Mrs. Deveney,	118.97
John McNeil, aid to Mrs. Haines,	32.50
John Chadwick, aid to transient persons,	10.27

C. P. Virgin, rent for Mrs. Coty,	\$37.00	
John S. Brown, aid to Mrs. Marsey,	37.00	
J. C. Linehan, aid to Mary Owens,	51.00	
W. C. Powell, aid to child,	10.00	
Ellen S. Addis,	4.00	
S. C. Hamilton, rent for Mrs. Philbrick,	12.00	
Concord Railroad, fares,	7.88	
John McNeil & Co., aid for Mrs. Haines,	32.50	
Charles Crow, 3 burials,	24.00	
John Kimball, aid for Mrs. Addis,	18.50	
J. S. Dutton, aid to transient persons,	8.00	
John Chadwick, " "	8.25	
Mary J. Brown, care of Mrs. Addis,	12.00	
I. N. Savage, aid for Mrs. Smith,	5.00	
Shaw & Drew, clothing for C. C. Flanders,	11.00	
C. Thorn, shoes for C. C. Flanders,	6.99	
M. J. Brown, aid for Mrs. Addis,	12.00	
J. S. Brown, aid to Mrs. Haines,	19.39	
Savage Brothers, aid to Mrs. Smith,	2.00	
John Chadwick, aid to transient persons,	4.00	
John McNeil & Co., aid to Mrs. Haines,	22.50	
J. C. Linehan, aid to Mrs. Owens,	52.00	
J. S. Brown, wood,	24.00	
N. P. Taplin, professional services for J. Morse's family,	15.50	
Mrs. S. E. Hamilton, rent,	12.00	
William Powell, aid of child,	6.00	
S. C. Hamilton, rent for Mrs. Philbrick,	12.00	
O. V. & W. H. Pitman, aid to Godfrey Jacobs,	3.00	
Eastman, Currier & Co., aid to Mrs. Deveney,	118.13	
Franklin Evans, aid to C. McCarty & Bresnehan,	45.00	
Mrs. John Carter, aid to Rebecca Carter,	104.00	
Concord Railroad, fares,	7.55	
John Connell, aid to transient persons,	37.05	
F. A. Fiske, aid to J. Pickatt,	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,209.54
Balance unexpended,		<hr/> \$1,745.63

## FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$146.98
Appropriation, 1873,	10,000.00
Received of	
A. G. Jones, sprinkling streets, 1872,	150.00
John Kimball, " " 1873,	379.00

Mer. County Ag. Society, premium,	\$6.00
Moses Humphrey, wheels sold,	20.00
J. S. Merrill, hose sold,	26.00
W. H. Allison, firemen's pay-roll,	2 50
D. S. Webster, for harnesses,	60.00
Amoskeag Co., bill over-paid,	10.00
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	\$10,800.48

## Paid as follows :

Charles Mahegan,	\$7 50
J. H. Rowell, horse hire,	32.00
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal,	52.41
D. S. Webster,	5.46
J. P. Leavitt, hay,	21.84
Webster & Morgan, hook and ladder house,	103.82
J. E. McShane, shoeing horses,	23.10
Geo. S. Locke & Co., wood,	4.50
J. J. Wyman, neats foot oil,	19.82
J. P. Leavitt, hay,	21.25
B. F. Cofran, hay,	55.50
F. P. Emerson & Co., lumber,	29.26
Torrent Aqueduct Co., water,	59.00
Tufts Brothers, lanterns,	13.20
Henry Moulton, ladders and hooks,	194.50
J. P. Leavitt, hay,	30.97
C. H. Norton, horses for hose company,	20.25
Amoskeag Co., repairs,	63.77
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal,	72.09
Abbot, Downing Co., H. & L. carriage,	1,150.00
D. B. Newhall, repairs,	5.00
Stevens & Dunklee, furnace, &c.,	252.56
Geo. W. Corey, wood,	4.40
Concord Gas-Light Co., gas,	77.84
J. J. Wyman, oil,	10.50
Nathan Abbott, labor,	2.50
Amoskeag Co., repairs,	66.75
W. H. Sanborn, hay,	39.21
Shaw & Drew, firemen's suits,	62.50
W. H. Allison, pay of firemen, six mos.,	2,005.42
Geo. Goodhue, water-pipes,	65.19
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal,	14.10
W. H. Allison, pay of firemen,	421.00
Woodworth Brothers, supplies,	3.53
John Kimball, paid for hay,	20.00
“ “ “	24.50
Shaw & Drew, firemen's suits,	300.00
Concord Railroad, freight,	1.80

Joseph Hoyt, straw,	\$4.96	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	12.57	
Concord Water-works, water,	8.83	
Cone & Everett, medicine,	7.21	
James Boyd & Sons, hats,	356.25	
B. French, repairs,	9.75	
J. P. Leavitt, hay,	32.10	
S. Eastman & Co., hose,	2,303.00	
Woodworth Brothers, supplies,	9.73	
C. C. Webster, “	1.30	
Coffin, Cochran & Co., shingles,	21.87	
J. E. McShane, shoeing horses,	31.00	
F. H. Odiorne, coal,	26.75	
John Brown, straw,	8.50	
Geo. E. Minot, teamster,	14.50	
J. E. McShane, shoeing horses,	25.85	
D. W. Long, firemen’s dinner,	125.00	
Concord Brass Band, annual review,	39.00	
H. Thompson, keys,	3.78	
J. C. Dunklee, rent of stable,	80.00	
W. Vogler, bedding,	10.00	
Concord Railroad, freight,	3.60	
J. E. Frye, repairs “ Old Fort,”	15.50	
J. P. Leavitt, hay,	27.70	
Webster & Morgan, repairs,	42.60	
Concord Gas-Light Co., gas,	86.32	
George Frye, wood,	30.25	
Hammond & Ayers, spittoons,	3.00	
J. P. Leavitt, hay,	37.50	
W. H. Allison, pay of firemen,	2,243.32	
“ incidental expense of firemen,	871.06	
Samuel Eastman & Co., hose, “ Old Fort,”	511.65	
Geo. W. Corey, steward,	9.00	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	20.55	
J. E. McShane, shoeing horses,	16.75	
W. Upham, making map,	6.50	
Thomas Murphy, washing,	13.00	
Lewis A. Wright, “	13.00	
“ “ teamster, twelve months,	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$13,040.29
Appropriation overdrawn,		<hr/> \$2,239.81



## INCIDENTALS AND LAND DAMAGES.

Unexpended balance of 1872,	\$2,340.69	
Appropriation of 1873,	5,000.00	
Received from rents,	111.38	
Received from county of Merrimack,		
repair of building,	12.68	
Received from John Kimball, miscellaneous,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$7,494.75

## Paid as follows:

J. L. Pickering, settlement of suit,	\$113.65
Pickering & Shattuck, furniture, pest house,	54.78
W. P. Ford & Co., repair of stove,	5.00
Gage & Conn, services,	4.00
Spencer Perkins, meat for pest house,	7.92
John Kimball, cash paid out as per bill of items rendered,	152.60
Rev. H. B. Putnam, services at farm, 2 years,	20.00
John Connell, expense at pest house,	28.00
Ferrin & Badger, goods for pest house,	13.05
Gage & Conn, services on acc't of small pox,	59.50
J. J. Dearborn, services at pest house,	86.53
J. S. Norris, bread,	3.91
Geo. S. Locke & Co., wood, pest house,	8.00
Stephen D. Greeley, land damage,	250.00
John A. Holmes,	1.75
E. B. Hutchinson, water-tank,	75.00
Dudley Winslow, care of Jameson, small pox,	39.00
Dudley Winslow, 11 days' services,	22.00
J. Brown & Co.,	2.75
B. G. Davis, milk for pest house,	2.08
J. H. Rowell, horse hire,	4.00
Gage & Conn, return of births and deaths,	20.00
J. E. Rand, ringing bell,	19.50
C. E. Stewart, making report,	10.00
Geo. S. Locke & Co., wood, Ward 6,	2.25
E. C. Eastman, hand stamp,	12.00
C. Clough & Co., wood, city hall,	4.50
Ira Rowell, abatement of tax,	3.00
Cone & Everett, medicine, pest house,	15.20
Mrs. D. Winslow, cleaning house,	15.00
Thomas Morris, settlement of suit in regard to collecting his tax,	36.80
B. F. Varney, damage to carriage,	30.00
J. P. Sanders, use of hall,	10.00
S. & S. C. Eastman, insurance,	57.80

C. H. Norton, horse and sleigh, city physician,	\$8.00
Batchelder & Co., goods, pest house,	20.75
Miss E. K. Abbott, care of sister at pest house,	80.00
Griffin & Welcome, repair of carriage,	5.55
Cone & Everett, medicine,	5.50
J. R. Crocker, hotel bill,	3.00
Warren Upham, engineering,	17.50
C. W. Paige, labor, old cemetery,	40.00
C. F. Stewart, recording deaths, &c.,	17.76
Mary Summers, land damage,	1,200.00
Stevens & Dunklee, goods for pest house,	9.02
G. S. Locke & Co., wood,	5.42
Concord Gas Light Co., city hall,	31.36
W. K. Holt & Co., fence, city hall,	15.00
Shattuck & Pickering, furniture,	17.25
R. P. Sanborn, city messenger,	78.72
J. E. Rand, ringing bell,	19.50
M. W. Russell, return of births, &c.,	12.75
Griffin & Welcome, repairs,	40.25
A. M. Bond, meat, pest house,	3.80
R. P. Stanuels, office rent for collector,	50.00
Webster & Morgan, repair of derrick, &c.,	35.67
Selectmen of Bow, running line,	2.00
E. B. Hutchinson, fence posts,	10.00
Merrimack Co. Agricultural Society, pest house,	250.00
J. H. Rowell, horse hire,	2.75
W. Upham, engineering,	17.10
S. M. Sargent, land damage,	100.00
C. A. Hoit, engineering bill,	2.25
O. W. Coon, labor, removing pest house,	7.50
J. E. Rand, ringing bell,	19.50
James Leahey, land damage,	16.00
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	6.50
R. P. Sanborn, services as messenger,	43.05
Concord Water-works, water, city hall,	6.00
C. P. Sanborn, witness' fees Palmer case,	200.00
R. P. Stanuels, insurance on library,	32.40
Enos Blake, land damage, Blake street,	697.50
Connell & Savory, painting,	33.06
C. & J. C. Gage, lumber, West Concord cemetery,	136.09
Geo. F. Whittredge, rent of hall,	27.00
J. C. Dunklee, land damage, Thorndike street,	550.00
A. C. Abbott, cow killed, Sewall's Falls,	75.00
J. G. Warren, repairs fence to W. C. cemetery,	79.97
W. M. Darrah, repairs to court-house,	30.48

S. & S. C. Eastman, insurance,	\$18.15	
Shaw & Perkins, insurance,	9.00	
Webster & Morgan, repair horse sheds,	8.12	
Edward Dow, plans,	10.00	
J. E. Rand, ringing bell,	19.50	
W. P. Ford & Co., 1 sink,	2.50	
Concord Gas Light Co., gas city hall,	59.84	
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal,	44.00	
Morrill & Danforth, insurance,	11.70	
R. P. Daniels, rent, collector's office,	50.00	
L. C. Lull, land damage, Mills street,	530.00	
Geo. Goodhue, water pipes, city hall,	139.75	
W. Upham, engineering,	11.00	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, door spring,	1.50	
Asa H. Morrill, damage to sleigh,	12.00	
R. P. Sanborn, labor at city hall,	52.10	
C. F. Stewart, cash paid out,	11.69	
F. & R. B. Low, rent of land 2 years,	40.00	
D. L. Guernsey, books for poor children,	30.52	
Concord Gas Light Co., lighting clock,	93.76	
C. P. Fletcher, expense at election,	5.00	
H. W. Clapp, fence, city lot, Ward 6,	19.48	
	<hr/>	\$6,492.23
Unexpended balance,		<hr/> \$1,002.52

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$1,708.06	
Appropriation, 1873,	12,000.00	
Received of John Kimball,—		
Collections for sprinkling the streets,	250.00	
Sale of lumber,	18.55	
	<hr/>	\$13,976.61
Trans. to Union District, Nos. 9, 27, 28,	\$1,732.24	
“ Highway districts, as per report,	1,366.41	
	<hr/>	\$3,098.65
		<hr/> \$10,877.96

Paid as follows :

M. H. Bean, lighting bridge, Fisherville,	\$56.49
Geo. W. Russell, lighting Twin bridge,	26.48
Joseph E. Brown, breaking roads,	15.62
Griffin & Welcome, repairs, carts,	19.18
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal for smith shop,	11.00
Edwin Bishop, supplies,	17.95

H. M. Fuller, stone for Horse hill bridge,	\$176.19
Geo. F. Sanborn, drawing stone, "	77.50
L. R. Fellows, pay-roll, "	473.25
John Kimball, removing temporary bridge at East Concord,	65.23
F. P. Emerson & Co., boards,	9.60
Henry Martin, use of plow,	3.00
John A. Holmes, surveying,	11.50
D. S. Webster, teaming,	16.00
John Kimball, pay-roll, removing pier on the ice at Sewall's Falls bridge,	137.50
Zebulon Smith, watering trough,	3.00
John Kimball, use of horse one year,	100.00
" services at Concord bridge, 1872,	200.00
W. K. Holt & Co., lumber,	41.26
B. E. Badger, engineering,	95.00
Torrent Aqueduct Co., water,	27.66
Webster & Morgan, labor, temporary bridge, East Concord,	12.00
Harrison Partridge, ox labor on the ice at Sewall's Falls bridge,	59.00
J. F. Ferrin, breaking roads,	14.30
C. C. Webster, oil to light Concord bridge,	8.15
Mary Pecker, watering trough,	3.00
B. A. Hall, lumber,	213.83
Daniel Flagg, watering trough,	3.00
J. Brown, pay-roll, Federal bridge,	47.25
H. H. Amsden & Sons, lumber,	24.64
Ira Foster, drawing stone,	6.50
C. C. Webster, oil for Concord bridge,	6.40
E. L. Childs, prof. services,	70.00
M. H. Johnson, sand for mortar,	11.00
M. H. Bradley, labor of oxen,	4.00
J. & J. T. Batchelder, labor on road,	18.10
Charlotte Lewis, lighting Concord bridge,	25.00
L. R. Fellows, pay-roll at Farnum's cut,	94.00
W. P. Ford & Co., plow points,	2.78
Stevens & Dunklee, oil can, &c.,	4.65
L. D. Brown, edge stone, Main street,	2.46
L. R. Fellows, pay-roll for labor on road near M. H. Farnum's,	988.54
John Stokes, labor on High street,	97.78
Clifford & Shaw, stone, Bow brook,	66.05
E. B. Hutchinson, lumber,	8.06
Ira Foster, stone,	48.00
Clifford and Shaw, culvert, Bow brook,	130.39
John Stokes, making road, High street,	162.75

John Stokes, making road, School street,	\$500.00
John Whittaker, sidewalk and culvert,	50.00
A. G. Jones, sprinkler,	250.00
Jeremiah Brown, building Giles street,	126.00
John Kimball, pay-roll, Lincoln street,	66.75
W. Upham, surveying,	40.00
A. B. Holt, lumber,	113.34
P. E. Blanchard, sharpening tools,	16.88
Geo. Goodhue, water-works to sprinkle sts.,	164.81
Clifford and Shaw, culvert near Free bridge,	449.60
Charles H. Clough, breaking roads,	2.50
L. R. Fellows, for small supplies at Farnum's,	22.44
William Tupper, lighting Free bridge,	28.00
J. T. Hoyt, fencing,	5.55
Clifford and Shaw, abutment, Free bridge,	148.64
H. H. Amsden & Sons, lumber,	7.52
Jeremiah Brown, abutment, Free bridge,	19.25
Wm. K. Holt & Co., lumber,	87.16
C. & J. C. Gage, lumber,	10.44
A. H. Morrill, building Rolfe street,	30.88
D. D. Clark, breaking roads,	5.12
Jonathan George, plowing sidewalks,	62.40
M. H. Johnson, pay-roll, stone to Free bridge,	20.50
Jeremiah Brown, " "	30.00
Gust. Walker, iron, Horse Hill bridge,	8.91
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	191.28
Jeremiah Brown, pay-roll, Walker and High- land street,	255.75
Concord Water-works, water trough, Main and Pleasant streets,	13.33
M. H. Johnson, pay-roll,	26.00
Geo. F. Sanborn, culvert in borough,	48.00
L. R. Fellows, pay-roll, rubbing at Sewall's Falls, stone work Federal bridge and cul- vert on turnpike,	237.00
L. R. Fellows, " "	66.00
Thompson Rowell & Co., concrete, Federal bridge,	275.00
Wm. Tupper, lighting Free bridge,	15.00
Ira Foster, drawing stone,	30.67
L. R. Fellows, cash paid for sundries,	57.55
W. K. Holt & Co., lumber for bridges,	85.89
M. H. Johnson, pay-roll, making Broadway,	331.54
A. C. Abbott, grade,	50.00
Gust. Walker, hardware,	78.74
Thompson Rowell, concrete crossings and sidewalks,	526.47

Isaac N. Abbott, bridge, Turkey river,	\$50.65	
H. H. Amsden & Sons, plank,	60.16	
Smith & Derry, smith work,	34.71	
John Kimball, paid for edge stone for side-walks, as per schedule,	163.19	
Webster & Morgan, labor, Soucook bridge,	17.25	
A. G. Jones, stone near city hall,	112.56	
Zebulon Smith, watering trough,	3.00	
G. W. Moody, work on temporary bridge,	3.00	
Robert B. Hoit, repairs, Horse Hill bridge,	5.53	
Heman Sanborn, damage to land,	10.00	
Pembroke, expense, Soucook bridge,	1.50	
Mary Pecker, watering trough,	3.00	
B. E. Badger, engineering,	89.50	
Worthington, Merrill & Co., repairs, carts,	5.95	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	1.58	
A. & G. A. Foster, horse and wagon,	2.00	
W. B. Stearns, lamp and chimney,	1.50	
Charles Hall, plank for bridge,	16.80	
D. S. Webster, drawing stone,	25.00	
O. V. & W. H. Pitman, oil, &c.,	5.79	
	<hr/>	\$3,882.65
Unexpended balance,		<hr/> \$1,995.31

## SEWERS AND DRAINS.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$1,640.54	
Appropriation, 1873,	1,000.00	
Assessments and interest,	432.89	
Brick on hand cost	800.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,873.43
Paid as follows:		
Ford & Kimball, castings, 1872,	\$174.99	
Hutchins & Co., cement,	2.87	
L. R. Fellows and men, pay-roll to May 3, 1873,	193.75	
L. R. Fellows and men, pay-roll to May 17, 1873,	349.93	
L. R. Fellows and men, pay-roll to May 31, 1873,	192.50	
E. B. Hutchinson, lumber,	7.32	
Concord Gas Light Co., damage,	5.01	
Hutchins & Co., cement,	83.38	
Samuel Holt, brick,	15.20	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	11.60	
M. H. Johnson and men, pay-roll, Cross st.,	272.27	

B. W. Sanborn & Co., cement pipe, Cross st.,	\$178.00	
“ “ School street,	754.20	
L. R. Fellows, cash paid out for supplies,	31.00	
E. R. Noyes, 100,000 brick,	800.00	
N. Robinson, brick,	101.30	
Ford & Kimball, sewer castings,	321.37	
	<hr/>	\$3,496.49
Unexpended balance,		<hr/> \$376.94

## COMMITTEE SERVICE.

Appropriation, 1873,		\$900.00
Paid as follows:		
E. L. Childs,	\$75.00	
A. S. Smith,	65.00	
J. B. Walker,	32.00	
A. C. Abbott,	75.00	
Stillman Humphrey,	57.00	
Geo. H. Curtis,	75.00	
D. G. Holmes,	40.00	
J. L. T. Brown,	36.00	
Geo. W. Chesley,	45.00	
W. A. Bean,	40.00	
Daniel C. Tenney,	45.00	
Daniel E. Howard,	45.00	
J. C. Linclan,	40.00	
Joel C. Danforth,	35.00	
Charles H. Critchett,	32.00	
M. B. Smith,	25.00	
J. B. Fellows,	26.00	
S. C. Sanders,	27.00	
C. H. Farnum,	40.00	
C. N. Corning,	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$890.00
Unexpended balance,		<hr/> \$10.00

## POLICE AND WATCH.

Balance unexpended, 1872,	\$145.40	
Appropriation, 1873,	2,500.00	
Received of S. Dana, fines and costs,	1,231.14	
Received of A. Fletcher, fines and costs,	34.12	
	<hr/>	\$3,910.66

## Paid as follows :

J. L. Pickering, bill of 1870,	\$12.10
John A. Coburn,	25.00
R. Crowther,	9.80
L. W. Glysson, police service,	7.00
J. H. Rowell, horse hire,	52.00
R. P. Sanborn, police service,	2.00
John Connell, cash paid as per bill,	45.30
Hall B. Rand, night watching,	11.00
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal,	46.00
J. Cooper, police service,	6.00
E. A. F. Hammond, police service,	15.00
J. M. Jones, police at depot two years,	50.00
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	107.52
R. M. Ordway, police service,	6.00
A. C. Ferrin, “	2.00
J. C. Eaton, “	7.00
Geo. Partridge, “	10.00
L. H. Carroll, “	14.00
J. E. Hutchins, “	12.00
C. T. Lane, “	15.00
John Connell, six months' salary,	450.00
N. H. Haskell, police service,	8.00
J. D. Waller, “	3.50
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	119.04
Jones and Johnson, rent,	50.00
C. W. Davis, watch,	2.00
S. M. Griffin, police service,	2.00
Torrent Aqueduct Association, water,	4.00
C. H. Green, police service,	15.00
Evans & Gale, stove, &c.,	14.78
R. Crowther, police service,	15.60
S. W. Shattuck, “	2.00
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	115.20
John Chadwick, assistant marshal,	100.00
D. L. Neal, police service,	6.00
Robert Crowther, “	3.60
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	119.04
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal,	27.12
Stevens & Dunklee, repair of stove,	14.04
Geo. S. Locke & Co., wood,	4.50
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	115.20
Geo. W. Corey, police service,	16.00
Jones and Johnston, rent,	50.00
Concord Gas Light Co., gas,	29.44
J. S. Merrill, police service,	2.00
Geo. Goodhue, pipe to lobby,	22.09



Rand and Jones, watchmen,	\$119.04	
J. H. Rowell, horse hire,	20.50	
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	147.64	
John Chadwick, 6 months' services.	138.35	
"                    " horse hire,	23.50	
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	133.54	
Jones and Johnston, rent,	50.00	
Concord Water-works, water,	3.50	
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	133.34	
"                    "                    "	133.33	
Geo. Corey, police service,	30.20	
John Connell, 6 months' salary,	450.00	
John Chadwick, horse hire. &c.,	31.00	
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	133.34	
Jones and Johnston, rent,	50.00	
Geo. W. Lake, police service,	18.00	
Concord Gas Light Co., gas,	28.80	
H. W. Ranlet & Co., coal,	5.37	
E. A. Miller, police service,	2.00	
John Chadwick, horse hire,	5.60	
Rand and Jones, watchmen,	133.34	
Geo. Corey, police service,	13.80	
A. & G. A. Foster, horse hire,	68.75	
A. Fletcher, services special justice,	38.00	
S. Dana, justice,	500.00	
J. Connell, wood and cash paid out,	28.24	
	<hr/>	\$4,203.85
Amount overdrawn,		\$303.19

## SCHOOLS.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$779.21	
Appropriation, 1873,	18,500.00	
Additional appropriation by Union district,	5,560.00	
Literary fund,	1,066.00	
Interest on the Abial Walker fund,	60.00	
	<hr/>	\$25,965.21
Paid as follows :		
Moses E. Long, Committee, Dist. No. 1,	\$177.07	
Joseph Knowles,           "          "      2,	151.08	
H. Partridge,           "          "      3,	400.00	
O. L. Shepard,           "          "      3,	709.93	
D. C. Tenney,           "          "      4,	120.03	
Reuben K. Abbott,       "          "      5,	115.23	
Lowell Brown,           "          "      6,	144.64	
John Hazeltine,         "          "      7,	144.86	

John Hargate, School District No. 8,	\$117.44	
John B. Curtis, " " 12,	497.16	
D. A. Morrill, " " 13,	73.66	
Moses C. Sanborn, " " 14,	135.44	
Thomas Potter, " " 15,	94.68	
John T. Tenney, " " 15,	110.56	
C. B. Thompson, " " 16,	145.00	
Lorenzo Dow, " " 18,	284.91	
F. A. Abbott, " " 20,	900.00	
Geo. W. Abbott, " " 20,	640.68	
N. P. Richardson, " " 22,	166.78	
Robert Hall, " " 23,	61.86	
H. H. Crowell, " " 24,	65.27	
Jeremiah Abbott, Committee, Hopkinton, No. 18,	53.73	
P. B. Cogswell, Committee, Union district, Nos. 9, 10, and 11,	20,148.74	
	<hr/>	\$25,458.75
Unexpended balance,		<hr/> \$506.46

#### PRINTING AND STATIONERY.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$328.73	
Appropriation, 1873,	800.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,128.73
Paid as follows:		
Republican Press Association,	\$477.00	
Butterfield & Hill,	12.00	
E. C. Eastman,	46.47	
D. L. Guernsey,	2.25	
C. C. Pearson & Co.,	36.50	
E. C. & G. G. Bailey,	55.99	
Morrill & Silsby,	191.89	
	<hr/>	\$822.10
Unexpended balance,		<hr/> \$306.63

#### PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Appropriation, 1873,	\$500.00
Paid as follows:	
F. S. Crawford, librarian,	500.00

#### PARSONAGE FUND.

Paid as follows:	
West Concord Congregational Society,	\$16.32
Pleasant Street Baptist Society,	12.08

East Concord Congregational Society,	\$19.00	
First Congregational Society,	42.00	
East Concord Congregational Society,	19.00	
Methodist Episcopal Society,	18.00	
Pleasant Street Baptist Society,	12.08	
Universalist Society,	26.00	
First Baptist Society,	28.00	
Unitarian Society,	21.00	
South Congregational Society,	33.00	
Fisherville Baptist Society,	16.00	
Episcopal Society,	28.10	
	<hr/>	290.64

## GAS PRECINCT.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$475.93	
Appropriation, 1873,	3,000.00	
Received of John Kimball,	14.00	
	<hr/>	\$3,489.93

## Paid as follows:

R. P. Sanborn, lamp-lighter,	\$642.26	
T. J. Carpenter, repairs,	24.34	
Concord Gas-Light Co., gas,	1,809.70	
Tufts Brothers, lanterns and burners,	68.00	
Edwin Bishop, repairs,	5.60	
J. Frank Hoyt & Co., supplies,	3.11	
A. H. Morton, 24 lantern cocks,	24.40	
Ford & Kimball, lamp post,	16.00	
	<hr/>	\$2,598.41

Unexpended balance,	\$896.52
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## PROFESSIONAL SERVICES.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$174.78	
Appropriation, 1873,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$274.78

## Paid as follows:

Tappan & Mugridge,	\$24.00	
" "	400.00	
Samuel M. Wheeler,	208.00	
	<hr/>	\$632.00
Overdrawn,		\$357.22

## SALARIES.

Unexpended balance, 1872,	\$1,092.73	
Appropriation, 1873,	4,000.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,092.73

Paid as follows :

John Kimball, mayor, 1872,	\$500.00
Curtis White, assessor,	111.00
Board of education, Union district,	225.00
S. C. Eastman, treasurer,	250.00
L. L. Mower, clerk of common council,	50.00
Francis Holmes, selectman, ward 7,	5.00
Edward Abbott, clerk, ward 3,	5.00
C. F. Stewart, city clerk,	800.00
W. H. Allison, collector,	1, 262.31
H. B. Putnam, school committee, 2 years,	113.34
A. Burnham, “	56.66
I. N. Abbott, “	56.67
S. S. Blanchard, selectman, ward 4,	5.00
D. F. Secomb, “ 5,	5.00
H. N. Farley, “ 6,	5.00
A. Rolfe, school committee,	27.00
H. Deming, selectman, ward 2,	5.00
C. H. Jones, “ 4,	5.00
Geo. S. Young, “ 4,	5.00
John W. Bliss, “ 6,	5.00
W. W. Allen, clerk, 7,	5.00
C. P. Sanborn, solicitor,	100.00
John Kimball, superintendent highways and bridges,	300.00
A. L. Marden, clerk, ward 4,	5.00
C. F. Stewart, overseer of poor,	125.00
W. A. Dow, selectman, ward 7,	5.00
E. Emery, “ 2,	5.00
J. E. Saltmarsh, “ 3,	5.00
J. T. Batchelder, “ 5,	5.00
B. F. Dunklee, “ 5,	5.00
D. D. Brainerd, “ 6,	5.00
Geo. F. Underhill, clerk, 5,	5.00
C. C. Lund, “ 6,	5.00
Chandler Eastman, school committee,	36.00
J. S. Hoit, selectman, ward 1,	5.00
B. F. Gale, “ 7,	5.00
W. L. Bennett, “ 2,	5.00
John N. Hill, clerk, “ 2,	5.00
Daniel Holden, selectman, 3,	5.00
M. H. Farnum, assessor,	75.00
Abial C. Abbott, selectman, ward 3,	5.00
Lyman K. Hall, “ 1,	5.00
Rufus Cass, “ 1,	5.00
John A. Holmes, assessor,	75.00
John P. Locke, “	72.00

John Kimball, mayor, 6 months, 1873,	\$250.00	
John Abbott, assessor,	159.00	
Joseph Wentworth, assessor,	186.00	
Andrew S. Smith,       “	100.00	
Curtis White,           “	177.00	
John P. Rowe, selectman,	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$5,247.98
Overdrawn,		<hr/> \$155.25

### NON-RESIDENT BANK TAX.

Paid as follows :

Town of Francestown,	\$3.94	
City of Dover,	17.37	
	<hr/>	\$21.31

### DOG TAX.

Paid as follows :

G. W. Flanders,	\$12.00	
John B. Sanborn,	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$42.00

## SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

### SCHOOL-HOUSE TAXES.

Union District, for debt and interest,	\$7,000.00	
“           for new house near Fair		
Grounds,	1,500.00	
District No. 2, for repairs of house,	60.00	
“           3, for repairs of house,	246.18	
“           5, for repairs of house,	40.00	
“           6, for new fence,	50.00	
“           12, for debt and interest,	1,150.00	
“           13, for new house,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$10,546.18

Paid as follows :

John Kimball, Agent Union District,	\$8,500.00	
Eben F. Elliott, Agent, District No. 2,	60.00	
Daniel Holden,       “       3,	246.18	
C. H. Merrill,       “       5,	40.00	
Lowell Brown,       “       6,	50.00	
Aaron Tay,           “       12, 1872,	1,180.00	
Heman Sanborn,     “       12,	30.00	
John B. Sanborn,    “       13, 1872,	575.00	
“                   “       13,	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$11,181.18

## ADDITION TO BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY.

Appropriation,	\$3,562.50
Paid as follows:	
Francis A. Fisk, for $23\frac{3}{4}$ acres of land,	3,562.50

HOSE CARRIAGE HOUSE, "ALERT," *Washington Street.*

Appropriation,	\$12,000.00
Brick sold,	56.80
	<hr/> \$12,056.80

Paid as follows:

W. S. Davis, land,	\$500.00
Jeremiah Brown, excavating,	9.61
Clifford & Shaw, foundation,	125.82
Webster & Morgan, for building, &c.,	1,485.00
Cummings Brothers, sign,	23.00
Wm. Badger, gas fixtures,	23.75
Hammond & Ayers, curtains,	43.76
Geo. S. Young, iron railing,	110.00
J. M. Blake, furniture,	38.00
Stevens & Dunklee, stoves and fixtures,	69.15
Geo. Goodhue, water-pipes,	11.24
	<hr/> \$2,439.33

WARD HOUSE AND HOSE-CARRIAGE HOUSE,  
"GOOD WILL," *State Street.*

Paid as follows:

B. A. Kimball, lot of land,	\$1,630.00
D. S. Webster, pine lumber,	180.00
M. H. Johnson and men, excavating,	96.24
Clifford & Shaw, foundation,	311.44
E. R. Noyes, brick,	1,040.00
M. H. Johnson and men, excavating,	31.87
Geo. W. Emerton, stone work,	81.90
M. H. Johnson and men, digging drain,	100.88
David O. Smith, iron work,	7.50
Proctor Mills, lumber,	303.20
Cummings Brothers, signs,	51.00
E. B. Hutchinson, planing,	20.70
Sherburne & Co., copper,	42.69
Edward Dow, architect,	78.79
W. P. Ford & Co., stove,	16.00
F. P. Emerson & Co., planing and lumber,	15.62
Webster & Morgan, contract,	502.92

Gust. Walker, hardware,	\$55.52	
Geo. S. Young, iron railing,	51.56	
Lowell Eastman, windows,	161.18	
Ford & Kimball, weights,	37.42	
A. Bunker, sash and doors,	86.10	
W. M. Darrah, slating,	435.36	
Ordway & Ferrin, laying brick,	1,177.11	
Merrill Dyer and others, pay-roll, stone-cutting and setting,	\$213.22	
	<hr/>	\$6,608.22
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		\$9,107.55
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Unexpended balance,		\$2,949.25

## CITY STOREHOUSE.

Appropriation,		\$2,500.00
Paid as follows:		
D. S. Webster, lumber,	\$177.87	
E. R. Noyes, brick,	80.00	
M. H. Johnson, foundation,	50.00	
J. Brown, " "	65.75	
Webster & Morgan, carpenter work and lumber,	496.95	
Coffin, Cochran & Co., shingles,	55.00	
Charles Noyes, clapboards,	51.87	
J. E. McShane, iron work,	4.25	
Connell & Savary, painting,	83.64	
Mead, Mason & Co., lumber,	619.86	
Gust. Walker, hardware,	36.01	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	34.39	
E. B. Hutchinson, planing boards,	14.49	
Ordway & Ferrin, mason work,	81.06	
F. P. Emerson & Co., lumber and planing,	47.57	
	<hr/>	\$1,948.62

## SEWALL'S FALLS BRIDGE.

Appropriation,		\$10,000
Paid as follows:		
L. R. Fellows and men, pay-roll, No. 1,	\$290.00	
" " " No. 2,	426.36	
" " " No. 3,	425.95	
H. M. Fuller, stone,	769.07	
H. Partridge, drawing stone,	771.50	
L. R. Fellows and men, pay-roll, No. 4,	509.25	
Hutchins & Co., cement,	338.20	
L. R. Fellows and men, pay-roll, No. 5,	602.50	
" " " No. 6,	429.00	
" " " No. 7,	287.94	

Ira Foster, drawing stone,	\$165.85	
L. R. Fellows and men, pay-roll, No. 8.	314.44	
“ “ “ No. 9,	302.25	
“ “ “ No. 10,	259.25	
Geo. T. Annis, stone,	170.50	
Putney & Chadwick, stone,	136.50	
C. H. Norton, use of team,	240.13	
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Cost of stone work,		\$6,348.69
Parker, Hoyt & Simonds, lumber,	\$262.50	
Concord & Northern R. R., freight,	50.40	
D. Woods, on account of contract,	1,500.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,812.90
Whole amount expended to Feb. 1,		<hr/> \$8,161.59
Unexpended balance,		\$1,838.41
Dutton Woods's contract amounts to	\$7,750.00	
Paid him as above,	1,500.00	
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Due when bridge is completed,	\$6,250.00	
Amount already expended,	8,161.59	
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Estimated cost,	\$14,411.59	

## CITY BOUNTIES.

ACT OF JULY 3D, 1872.

Bonds sold,		\$877.00
Paid as follows:		
Cyrus C. Carrier,	\$100.00	
A. L. Lane,	100.00	
F. D. Batchelder,	100.00	
Nathan M. Gove,	100.00	
Heirs of J. Allison,	100.00	
G. W. Ingalls,	100.00	
S. F. Brown,	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$700.00
Balance unexpended,		<hr/> \$177.00

## CITY FARM LEDGE.

## RECEIPTS.

Putney & Chadwick,	\$186.27	
Roberts & Crowley,	280.80	
C. A. Bond,	66.00	
	<hr/>	\$533.07



## CITY DEBT AND ASSETS.

## FUNDED DEBT, PAYABLE AS FOLLOWS:

Amount.	Rate of int.	Payable	When due.
\$6,300	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1874.
8,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1875.
3,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1875.
6,500	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1876.
3,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1876.
8,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1877.
3,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1877.
8,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1878.
6,000	5	annually	Jan. 1, 1878.
3,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1879.
4,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1879.
8,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1880.
3,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1880.
8,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1881.
3,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1881.
7,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1882.
4,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1882.
7,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1883.
6,600	5	annually	Jan. 1, 1883.
2,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1884.
7,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1884.
7,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1885.
5,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1885.
7,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1886.
1,000	6	semi-annually	April 1, 1886.
2,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1887.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1887.
1,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1888.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1888.
2,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1889.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1889.
2,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1890.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1890.
1,000	6	annually	Jan. 1, 1891.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1891.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1892.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1893.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1894.
10,000	6	semi-annually	Oct. 1, 1895.

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\$231,800

## STATE HOUSE BONDS.

\$95,500, 6 per cent. in gold, semi-annually, due May 1, 1855.\*

## PRECINCT BONDS.

\$50,000, 6 per cent. in gold, semi-annually, due Dec. 1, 1855.\*

## AGGREGATE OF FUNDED DEBT.

City bonds outstanding,	\$231,800.00	
City state house bonds,	95,500.00	
Precinct state house bonds,	50,000.00	
Interest to Feb. 1, 1872, including coupons due but not paid,	6,038.00	
	<u>          </u>	\$383,338.00

## FLOATING DEBT.

Notes outstanding,	\$11,300.00	
Interest to Feb. 1874,	545.42	
	<u>          </u>	\$11,845.42

## OUTSTANDING ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS.

Due for salaries and committee service,	\$2,515.00	
Due school districts,	611.00	
School-house taxes, district 12,	1,130.00	
Unpaid orders,	481.69	
Other claims estimated,	1,673.26	
Bank tax due towns,	766.65	
	<u>          </u>	\$7,177.60

## AVAILABLE ASSETS.

Cash in city treasury,	\$11,063.37	
Due from tax list of 1872,	800.00	
“ “ 1873,	31,000.00	
Due from Merrimack county, paupers,	2,000.00	
“ “ incidentals,	98.77	
Notes and interest due,	777.65	
Invested in liquor agency,	781.62	
Rents due,	40.00	

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\* Payable at the option of the city.

Due from sewerage of 1870,	\$201.49
“ “ 1871,	160.37
“ “ not assessed,	4,177.25
Water Works bonds (par),	76,000.00
Interest on the same,	1,520.00
Brick on hand,	800.00
Due from Blossom Hill cemetery,	5,161.80
	<hr/> \$134,582.32

## SUMMARY.

Funded debt and interest,	\$383,338.00
*Floating debt and interest,	11,845.42
Outstanding accounts and claims,	7,177.60
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Total debt Feb. 1, 1874,	\$402,361.02
Available assets,	134,582.32
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Indebtedness above assets, Feb. 1, 1874,	\$267,778.70
Indebtedness above assets, Feb. 1, 1873,	269,841.92
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Decrease of indebtedness for the year ending Feb. 1, 1874,	\$2,063.22

## CITY PROPERTY, FEB. 1, 1874.

City Hall lots, and half the building,	\$40,000.00
City Farm,	15,000.00
Personal property at farm, per appraisal,	4,074.90
Gravel lots at East Concord,	250.00
Gravel lot on Washington street,	2,000.00
Lot on Warren and Liberty streets,	500.00
Land and buildings on Warren street,	8,900.00
Receiving tomb,	350.00
Furniture in City Hall building,	300.00
Furniture in clerk's office,	100.00
Furniture in marshal's office,	100.00
Furniture in collector's office,	100.00
Tools in hands of superintendent of streets,	500.00
Ropes and derricks, stone, and other tools,	800.00
Five horses,	1,000.00

\* \$9,500 has been borrowed to pay for the addition to Blossom Hill cemetery, and the ward and hose carriage houses, on State and Washington streets, which accounts for the increase of the floating debt.

Stable and shed,	\$400.00
Harnesses and stable fixtures,	350.00
Street sprinklers, pipes, and fixtures.	800.00
Coal at City Hall building,	20.00
Wood at City Hall building,	10.00
Legacy of Abial Walker, for schools,	1,000.00
Legacy of G. P. Lyon, for library,	1,000.00
Legacy of Franklin Pierce, for library,	1,000.00
Property in hands of fire department,	41,693.95
City storehouse and lot,	3,000.00
Lot of land on State street,	1,000.00
Ward house, Ward 2,	1,000.00
“ Ward 6,	6,600.00
City library,	5,000.00
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	\$135,948.85

#### APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1873.

For support of paupers,	\$2,400.00
Committee services,	900.00
Fire department,	10,000.00
Incidental expenses and land damages,	5,000.00
Roads and bridges,	12,000.00
Police and watch,	2,500.00
Printing and stationery,	800.00
Salaries,	4,000.00
Interest on city debt,	17,000.00
Payment of city bonds,	8,800.00
City library,	500.00
Support of schools,	18,500.00
Sewers and drains,	1,000.00
Highway districts,	10,000.00
Interest on precinct bonds,	3,450.00
Lighting streets,	3,000.00
Professional services,	100.00
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	\$99,950.00

#### SPECIAL APPROPRIATIONS.

*Bridge at East Concord,	\$17,000.00
Bridge at Sewall's Falls,	10,000.00
Ward and hose houses,	12,000.00
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	\$39,000.00

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\* 10,000 appropriated in 1872.

## POLLS, VALUATION, AND TAXES ASSESSED.

The number of polls, and the tax assessed on the real and personal estate in the city of Concord since 1860 :

Year.	No. of polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
1860	2,577	\$4,307,192	\$47,082.25
1861	2,497	4,423,936	46,290.48
1862	2,350	4,308,568	50,945.01
1863	2,454	3,775,206	60,293.82
1864	2,539	3,832,800	89,931.97
1865	2,495	5,549,002	158,787.29
1866	2,762	4,934,082	116,192.97
1867	2,822	5,006,774	145,173.49
1868	3,120	5,378,365	126,889.71
1869	3,205	5,581,459	146,791.64
1870	3,187	5,751,928	133,953.94
1871.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	405	\$533,668	\$11,887.42
2,	230	322,164	8,493.00
3,	188	284,872	5,220.07
4,	783	1,324,276	32,296.69
5,	643	1,613,241	39,018.50
6,	732	1,245,188	30,094.40
7,	357	426,037	8,228.93
Non-resident,		112,487	2,605.69
	3,338	\$5,891,933	\$137,844.79
1872.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	419	\$516,321	\$10,379.56
2,	251	290,839	8,123.49
3,	217	251,589	5,370.55
4,	861	1,244,321	30,268.21
5,	728	1,688,134	40,857.85
6,	901	1,407,824	34,750.01
7,	390	370,881	8,354.29
Non-resident,		147,145	3,019.01
	3,767	\$5,917,054	\$141,122.97
1873.	Polls.	Valuation.	Tax.
Ward 1,	439	\$818,435	\$12,044.47
2,	219	381,532	7,196.69
3,	188	380,088	5,721.93
4,	861	1,943,302	35,326.70
5,	730	2,707,238	48,778.06
6,	789	2,188,426	38,610.42
7,	387	593,629	8,131.65
Non-resident,		•	2,471.21
	3,613	\$9,012,650	\$158,281.13

# FINANCIAL STATEMENT

## OF THE

### CONCORD WATER WORKS.

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SAMUEL C. EASTMAN, City Treasurer, *in account with the Water Works, for the year ending January 31, 1874.*

	Dr.	
To cash from sale of \$24,000 bonds,	\$23,395.75	
Interest on the same,	340.85	
Notes,	139,150.00	
Sundry persons for pipe laid,	1,604.33	
Superintendent of Water-works, rents,	4,431.10	
	—————	\$168,922.03
Balance due Treasurer,		6.53
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		\$168,928.56
Cr.		
By balance due treasurer, Feb. 1, 1873,	\$3,841.97	
By notes paid,	62,900.20	
Paid for shop and fuel,	30.03	
service pipe,	9,797.14	
distribution pipe,	50,489.70	
main pipe,	88.50	
land and rights,	1,012.60	
damages,	750.00	
National Meter Co., No. 332,	87.25	
general expense,	214.42	
incidentals, •	1,238.04	
dam, &c.,	3,864.51	
interest,	12,858.69	
conduit,	12,572.83	
engineering and superintendence,	2,754.14	
gates and hydrants,	6,428.54	
	—————	\$168,928.56

Water-works bonds outstanding Feb. 1,		
1873,	\$125,900.00	
Bonds sold since,	24,000.00	
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Bonds outstanding,		\$149,900.00
Notes outstanding Feb. 1, 1873,	\$64,580.20	
Notes issued since,	139,100.00	
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	\$203,730.20	
Notes paid since,	62,900.20	
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Notes now outstanding,		\$140,830.00
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		\$290,730.00

Respectfully submitted,

SAMUEL C. EASTMAN, *Treasurer.*

CONCORD, Feb. 1, 1874.

We have examined the foregoing account, and find that all the payments therein recorded are duly authenticated by proper vouchers, and that the several items are correctly cast.

JOHN KIMBALL,  
GEO. A. PILLSBURY,  
DANIEL G. HOLMES,  
MOSES B. SMITH,

*Committee on Finance.*

# REPORT

## OF THE

### Superintendent of Repairs of Highways and Bridges.

*To the City Council:*

The undersigned, superintendent of highways and bridges, respectfully presents the statement of his receipts and expenditures in each district from February 1, 1873, to February 1, 1874,—districts Nos. 9, 27, and 28 being one district, under the immediate supervision of the superintendent.

JOHN KIMBALL, *Superintendent.*

#### DISTRICTS NUMBERS 9, 27, AND 28.

*John Kimball, Superintendent of Repairs of Highways and Bridges,*

DR.

To balance unexpended of 1872,	\$785.05	
“ appropriation for 1873,	7,063.00	
“ manure sold city farm,	30.00	
“ cash received from all other sources,	27.00	
“ transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges,	1,732.24	
	<hr/>	\$9,637.29

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By amounts expended from Feb. 1, 1873, to Feb. 1, 1874.

Paid J. Brown and men, for February, 1873,	\$315.37
M. H. Johnson and men, for February,	272 82
W. S. Curtice and men, February 1 to April 22,	113.12
J. Brown and men, for March,	191.04
M. H. Johnson and men, for March,	167.10
J. Brown and men, for April,	258.25
M. H. Johnson and men, for April,	276.42
J. Brown and men, for May,	516.72
M. H. Johnson and men, for May,	572.36
J. Brown and men, for June,	405.47
M. H. Johnson and men, for June,	447.24



Paid J. Brown and men, for July,	\$326.61	
M. H. Johnson and men, for July,	489.11	
J. Brown and men, for August,	497.99	
M. H. Johnson and men, for August,	567.36	
J. Brown and men, for September,	416.25	
M. H. Johnson and men, for September,	499.48	
J. Brown and men, for October,	262.98	
M. H. Johnson and men, for October,	126.09	
J. Brown and men, for November,	316.36	
M. H. Johnson and men, for November,	194.74	
J. Brown and men, for December,	177.87	
M. H. Johnson and men, for December,	119.84	
J. Brown and men, for January, 1874,	132.75	
M. H. Johnson and men, for January,	122.30	
Thomas Murphy, teamster, 12 months,	600.00	\$8,385.64

## SUPPLIES.

Paid C. C. Webster for meal,	\$65.26	
C. C. Webster, corn and meal,	43.20	
Worthington, Merrill & Co., repairs,	25.40	
Geo. Symonds, repairs of harnesses,	15.73	
Gust. Walker, hardware,	21.04	
Woodworth Bros., meal and grain,	61.21	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	20.11	
Woodworth Bros., corn and grain,	67.30	
Gust. Walker, hardware,	28.59	
W. K. Holt, lumber,	4.39	
H. E. Perkins, gravel,	16.40	
F. P. Emerson, lumber,	15.45	
W. K. Holt, straw,	26.85	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	20.04	
Geo. Symonds, repairs of harnesses,	15.58	
M. H. Johnson, gravel, and cash paid for various supplies, less cash received of		
A. Downing and others,	67.28	
B. G. Carter, smith work (Brown),	22.33	
B. G. Carter, smith work (Johnson),	26.25	
Thompson Rowell, for concrete walks and crossings, as per list on file in city clerk's office,	689.24	\$1,251.65
		<hr/> \$9,637.29

## DISTRICT REPORTS.

DISTRICT No. 1.	
Simeon Farnum, Surveyor, Dr.	
To appropriation for 1873, \$110.00	
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges, 44.25	
	<u>154.25</u>
Cr. By labor of	
Simeon Farnum, breaking roads, 1873, 33.75	
Simeon Farnum, breaking roads, 1874, 10.50	
James Locke, highway, 13.12	
Sam'l K. Choate, " 5.25	
Joseph Emery, " 7.70	
A. Q. Farnum, " 41.96	
Simeon Farnum, " 41.97	
	<u>\$154.25</u>

DISTRICT No. 2.	
W. S. Carter, Surveyor, Dr.	
To appropriation for 1873, \$65.00	
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges, 24.72	
	<u>\$89.72</u>
Cr. By labor of	
W. S. Carter, break'g roads, \$7.92	
W. F. Sargent, " 7.28	
Jeremiah Quimby, " 1.80	
Frank Hayward, " 5.92	
Geo. Hayward, " 1.80	
	<u>\$24.72</u>
W. S. Carter, on highway, 27.90	
W. Hayward, " .50	
E. P. Farnum, plank, 1.50	
C. Moody, on highway, 2.62	
W. F. Sargent, " 17.87	
Cash in surveyor's hands, 14.61	
	<u>\$89.72</u>

DISTRICT No. 3.	
Rufus Virgin, Surveyor, Dr.	
To appropriation for 1873, \$60.00	
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges, 70.18	
	<u>\$130.18</u>

Cr. By labor of	
Rufus Virgin, break'g roads, 12.00	
Robert Brown, " 2.50	
Lyman A. Hall, " 7.05	
Mark Sargent, " 3.75	
W. L. Hunt, " 1.88	
J. Buckland, " 6.75	
J. M. Varney, " 4.50	
David Sargent, " 5.50	
	<u>\$43.93</u>
Rufus Virgin, highway, 60.01	
J. Buckland, " 2.62	
J. M. Varney, " 14.87	
Mark Sargent, " 5.25	
David Sargent, " 3.50	
	<u>\$130.18</u>

DISTRICT No. 4.	
Wm. L. Batchelder, Surveyor, Dr.	
To appropriation for 1873, \$85.00	
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges, 16.15	
	<u>101.15</u>
Cr. By labor of	
W. L. Batchelder, breaking roads, \$9.05	
J. F. Potter, break'g roads, 2.10	
C. D. Rowell, " 3.85	
H. H. Potter, " 2.85	
John Fretts, " .55	
	<u>\$18.40</u>
W. L. Batchelder, highway, 23.50	
C. D. Rowell, " 4.12	
H. H. Pattee, " 6.12	
J. F. Pattee, " 5.12	
T. A. Sears, " 3.50	
W. Maynard, " 3.50	
Thomas Pattee, " 3.50	
John P. Locke, " 3.50	
Amos Sanborn, " 25.30	
R. Sanders, gravel, 1.50	
C. D. Rowell, plank, 3.00	
	<u>\$101.15</u>

## DISTRICT No. 5.

John B. Sanborn, Surveyor, Dr.  
To appropriation for 1873, \$80.00  
Transferred from appropriation  
for roads and bridges, 65.00

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\$145.00

Cr. By labor of

John B. Sanborn, breaking  
roads, \$25.89  
D. A. Morrill, break'g roads, 3.30  
J. G. Tallant, " 1.33  
J. G. Tallant, highway, 16.37  
J. B. Sanborn, " 63.63  
J. B. Sanborn, expense of  
building water-course near  
J. L. Tallant's, 24.25  
Labor on highway, 3.00  
Breaking roads in No. 6, 4.23  
Paid for 180 ft. of plank, 3.00

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\$145.00

## DISTRICT No. 6.

W. B. Fletcher, Surveyor for 1872.  
S. C. Sanders, Surv'r for 1873, Dr.  
To appropriation, \$300.00  
Balance unexpended in 1872, 1.06  
Transferred from appropria-  
tion for roads and bridges, 70.16

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\$371.22

Cr. By labor of

W. B. Fletcher, breaking  
roads, 16.67  
S. C. Sanders, break'g roads, 6.25  
Daniel Sanborn, " 8.85  
W. Hill, " 3.70  
Jeremiah Stevens, " 5.65  
W. George, " 1.10  
W. Smith, " 1.00  
John Hanrahan, " 8.25  
All others, " 4.30

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\$55.77

S. C. Sanders, on highway, 59.50  
J. G. Tallant, " 18.00  
A. S. Yeaton, " 9.62  
R. Brown, " 7.87  
Rufus Sears, " 7.00  
A. Sanborn, " 5.75  
W. Batchelder, " 1.75

J. Clough, breaking roads, \$24.00  
J. S. Kimball, " 3.50  
J. T. Clough, " 9.37  
J. B. Sanborn, " 18.00  
J. E. Plummer, " 30.87  
W. W. Haselton, " 22.50  
S. M. Locke, " 10.50  
F. French, " 6.25  
Daniel Plante, " 8.75  
W. Hill, " 11.37  
C. Dudley, " 8.75  
J. Lambert, " 7.00  
Geo. Wilch, " 1.75  
T. Smith, " .87  
D. L. Webster, stone, 5.00  
J. E. McShane, rep. scraper, 5.00  
J. L. Tallant, post and rails, 3.20  
John B. Curtis, highway, 12.25  
Cash in hands of surveyor, 17.03

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\$371.22

## DISTRICT No. 7.

Samuel M. Locke, Surveyor, Dr.  
To appropriation, \$50.00  
Balance unexpended, 1872, 57.79

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\$107.79

Cr. By labor of

B. L. Larkin, highway, \$11.12  
J. S. Locke, " 7.62  
S. M. Locke, " 9.74  
Balance unexpended, 79.31

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\$107.79

## DISTRICT No. 8.

William T. Locke, Surveyor, Dr.  
To appropriation, 1873, \$90.00  
Transferred from appropria-  
tion for roads & bridges, 68.50

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\$158.50

Cr. By labor of

Wm. T. Locke, breaking  
roads, \$42.00  
John Marden, break'g roads, 8.00  
Mr. Prescott, " 5.00  
D. W. Strow, " 4.50  
Thomas Greenough, " 3.00  
John Davis, " 1.50

John Carter, breaking roads, \$1.50  
 Ezra Jenness, " 3.00

\$68.50

W. T. Locke, on highways, 63.00  
 John Marden, " 12.50  
 James Marden, " 4.00  
 Hiram Davis, " 7.50  
 For plank and sleepers, 3.00

\$158.50

#### DISTRICT NO. 10.

Harrison Partridge, Surveyor, Dr.  
 To appropriation, 1873, \$230.60  
 Balance unexpended, 1872, 42.05  
 Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges, 19.70

\$291.75

Cr. By labor of

H. Partridge, break'g roads, \$2.00  
 E. E. Gilman, " 4.50  
 T. W. Chase, " 2.00  
 B. Donohoe, " 1.00  
 E. Davis, " 2.00  
 Others from farm, 30 hours, 4.50

\$16.00

B. T. Putney, for stone for crossing, 25.00  
 H. Partridge, putting in the same, 12.00  
 H. Partridge, highway, 42.00  
 Byron Kempton, " 24.00  
 E. Gilman, " .75  
 City oxen, " 38.00  
 H. H. Farnum, " 8.00  
 J. Muzzy and city horses, highway, 13.00  
 Benja. Farnum, highway, 10.00  
 E. Partridge, " 6.00  
 M. Humphrey, " 24.50  
 C. Brown, " 15.00  
 Work from city farm, at \$1 per day, 37.50

\$291.75

#### DISTRICT NO. 11.

Alfred C. Abbott, Surveyor, Dr.  
 To appropriation, 1873, \$40.00

Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges, \$17.35

\$57.35

Cr. By labor of

A. C. Abbott, break'g roads, \$13.25  
 Moses Stewart, " 11.58

\$24.83

Alfred C. Abbott, highway, 29.50

J. M. Stewart, " 2.35

Jonathan Ferrin, " .67

\$57.35

#### DISTRICT NO. 12.

Moses H. Bean, Surveyor to May 1, 1873, Dr.

Asa H. Morrill, Surveyor since May 1, 1873, Dr.

To appropriation, 1873, \$450.00

Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges, 171.49

Lumber sold Contoocook Co. .80

\$622.29

Cr. By labor of

M. H. Bean and team, breaking roads and sidewalks, \$35.90

S. Florence, " 1.45

F. Emerson, " 4.35

L. Potter, " 1.75

A. Stone, " 2.10

L. Sebra, " 1.20

W. Glines, " 1.50

I. Boyce, " .75

A. Dyer, " .75

L. Kennon, " 1.60

J. Hill, " 1.00

R. McManus, " 15.67

J. Hagan, " .75

L. Bean, " 1.00

L. Currier, " 6.20

C. & J. C. Gage, lumber, 2.81

N. Colby, breaking roads, 4.00

Geo. R. Bean, " 12.50

C. C. Bean, " 24.25

J. P. Boyce, " 4.50

Expended by M. H. Bean, \$124.03

Cr. By labor of

Asa H. Morrill, highways, 152.11

A. Danforth, highways,	\$10.60	Geo. F. Sanborn, highway,	\$22.50
A. Stone, "	31.87	Noyes F. Farnum, "	7.75
R. McNamara, "	42.90	Joseph Story, "	.88
L. Kenan, "	39.37	Ezekiel F. Elliott, "	3.50
P. Kelley, "	1.75	J. S. Fisk, "	2.63
W. D. Eastman, "	.70	Joseph Elliott, "	5.25
W. H. Fifield, "	15.50	Frank L. Elliott, "	5.25
J. P. Boyce, "	35.00	Jere. Fowler, "	.75
N. Colby, "	4.00	Jona. Hoit, "	2.75
M. H. Bean, "	2.50	Geo. Gage, "	3.50
Mr. O'Brien, "	3.00	John Whittaker, gravel,	2.00
David Abbott, "	3.00	Fred. Conner, "	2.50
G. Morrill, gravel,	3.36		
F. A. Emerson, highway,	.50		\$59.36
N. Chandler, gravel,	9.58	Geo. F. Sanborn, br. r., 1873,	10.50
Evans & Gale, hardware,	11.29	Timothy E. Hoit, "	2.50
Warde & Humphrey, h'dware,	7.00	W. Hutchinson, "	4.00
W. H. Moody, highways,	.75	J. S. Fisk, "	4.95
C. C. Bean, "	42.60	Amos Elliott, "	1.00
Nelson Davis, "	47.88	A. Yuran, "	.75
		Jonathan Hoit, "	1.75
	<u>\$622.29</u>		<u>25.45</u>

## DISTRICT No. 13.

Geo. F. Sanborn, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$60.00
Trans. from appropriation	
for roads and bridges,	90.31
	<u>\$150.32</u>

Cr. By labor of

Geo. F. Sanborn, men and	
teams breaking and re-	
pairing roads from Oct.	
12, 1872, to May 1, 1873,	\$29.25
Lowell B. Elliott, "	2.00
J. F. Sanborn, "	1.00
Frank L. Elliott, "	1.50
Charles Piper, "	1.00
J. Hoit, "	5.00
James Bradford, "	2.00
Peter F. Elliott, "	2.00
Tim. E. Hoit, "	2.00
Theo. F. Elliott, "	5.00
E. F. Elliott, "	1.00
J. S. Fisk, "	2.50
Geo. E. Blanchard, "	2.00
Jos. E. Elliott, "	2.00
Fred. Conner, "	.60
Gilman Morrill, "	6.75
	<u>\$65.60</u>

Total for one year, \$150.31

## DISTRICT No. 14.

Joseph S. Hoit, Surveyor to June,	
1873,	Dr.
Henry C. Perrin, Surveyor since	
June, 1873, in place of Joseph	
S. Hoit, deceased,	Dr.
To appropriation,	\$60.00
Transferred from appropriation	
for roads and bridges,	26.00
	<u>\$86.00</u>

Cr. By labor of

J. S. Hoit, breaking roads,	14.75
Amos Hoit, "	7.50
S. D. Colby, "	2.25
J. Wier, "	1.50
	<u>\$26.00</u>
Henry C. Perrin and oxen,	
highway,	28.00
S. D. Colby, highway,	1.50
J. W. Colby, "	1.50
H. S. Eastman, "	1.50
E. D. Ordway, "	1.50
F. Piper, "	.75

J. Wier,	highway,	\$1.50
J. S. Hoit est.,	"	3.25
Gilman Colby,	"	6.00
F. Colby,	"	11.25
Paid for plank,		3.25
		<u>\$86.00</u>

## DISTRICT No. 15.

A. P. Bennett, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation,	\$100.00
Cash of Cyrus Runnells,	20.62
Pay-roll transferred from Runnells,	15.75
	<u>\$136.37</u>

Cr. By labor of	
C. Runnells, breaking roads,	\$9.98
E. F. Sweatt,	5.25
A. P. Bennett,	.52
Cyrus Runnells, highway,	10.50
Ephraim Sweatt,	10.50
John Abbott,	10.50
Moses E. Long,	9.62
Joseph Carrier,	10.50
Francis Runnells,	3.50
A. P. Bennett,	43.28
John Bean,	5.25
Balance in surveyor's hands,	16.97
	<u>\$136.37</u>

## DISTRICT No. 16.

Edward Runnells, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$65.00
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges,	31.58
	<u>\$96.58</u>

Cr. By labor of	
A. G. Dow, break'g roads,	10.58
R. B. Hoit,	5.95
Amos Sawyer,	2.80
L. W. Powell,	2.62
Edwin Terry,	2.10
E. E. Terry,	1.58
Edward Runnells,	5.95
	<u>\$31.58</u>
Jerome S. Runnells, highway,	14.13
L. W. Powell,	7.00
Edwin Sawyer,	7.00

Edwin E. Terry,	highway,	\$5.25
Edwin Terry,	"	3.50
Robert B. Hoit,	"	11.00
Edward Runnells,	"	17.12
		<u>\$96.58</u>

## DISTRICT No. 17.

Robert K. Buswell, Surveyor, Dr.	
To appropriation, 1873,	\$60.00
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges,	66.65
	<u>\$126.65</u>

Cr. By labor of	
R. K. Buswell, break'g roads,	\$17.32
Marsh Richardson,	6.65
Simon Crane,	4.90
Charles Porter,	1.93
S. S. Buswell,	4.00
James Conner,	2.10
David C. Gile,	2.63
A. C. Carter,	9.62
G. H. Dimond,	5.25
Moses M. Davis,	8.75
Moses Team,	3.50
	<u>\$66.60</u>

G. H. Dimond, highway,	2.00
A. C. Carter,	2.00
Joel Conner,	2.00
Simon Crane,	4.00
Willis Crane,	3.00
William Powell,	1.00
R. K. Buswell,	14.00
Joel Conner,	2.00
S. S. Buswell,	4.00
500 feet plank,	7.50
Cash in hands of surveyor,	18.50
	<u>\$126.65</u>

## DISTRICT No. 18.

Andrew S. Farnum, Surveyor,	Dr.
1872,	
Henry Farnum, Surveyor, 1873,	Dr.
To appropriation for 1873,	\$90.00
Balance in hands of Andrew S. Farnum,	10.74
	<u>\$100.74</u>

Cr. By labor of	
Andrew S. Farnum, break'g roads,	\$16.00
Henry Farnum, breaking roads,	7.60
Stephen Carlton, breaking roads,	6.00
Isaac F. Ferrin, breaking roads,	6.30
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	\$35.90
Henry Farnum, highways,	12.40
I. F. Ferrin, "	17.00
A. S. Farnum, "	12.80
Stephen Carlton, "	6.60
Samuel Calef, "	3.00
Andrew S. Farnum, "	10.74
Balance unexpended,	2.30
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\$100.74

#### DISTRICT No. 19.

(Report for two years.)

Albert Saltmarsh, Surveyor, Dr.	
To appropriation for 1872 & 1873,	\$200.00
Balance unexpended, 1871,	4.20
Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges,	195.26
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	\$399.46

Cr. By labor of	
Albert Saltmarsh, breaking roads, 1873,	\$16.80
Henry Martin, br'k'g r'ds, '73,	29.40
John K. Abbott, "	14.00
D. C. Tenney, "	14.53
Albert Swan, "	12.25
R. K. Abbott, "	11.55
J. N. Flanders, "	1.40
Lumber, spikes, and labor,	5.28
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\$105.21

Alb't Saltmarsh, h'hw'y, '72,	10.50
Charles Porter, "	2.00
John K. Abbott, "	20.00
Charles H. Merrill, "	14.00
Peter Fagan, "	4.00
William Fagan, "	4.00
Louis Borland, "	7.00
John E. Saltmarsh, "	7.00
Albert Swan, "	6.00
William Broad, "	6.00
Henry Martin, "	15.50
F. R. Carrier, "	4.00

The following sums were paid for labor on Long pond road:

Jeremiah Brown and men,	\$58.00
M. H. Johnson, "	62.25
Albert Saltmarsh,	3.00
Henry Martin,	6.00
W. Fagan,	4.50
F. J. Emerson,	4.50
Peter Fagan,	2.00
Henry Martin, highway, '73,	6.60
Albert D. Swan, "	1.70
Albert Saltmarsh, "	5.00
John J. Thompson, "	2.00
John K. Abbott, "	1.00
F. J. Emerson, "	2.00
Albert Saltmarsh, "	5.00

\$368.76

Cash in hands of surveyor,  
Feb. 1, 1874,

30.70

\$399.46

#### DISTRICT No. 20.

John E. Saltmarsh, Surveyor, Dr.	
To appropriation, 1873,	\$55.00
Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges,	32.30
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\$87.30

Cr. By labor of	
John E. Saltmarsh, br. r'ds,	\$8.85
C. H. Merrill, "	4.00
F. A. Emerson, "	1.95
Lewis B. Thompson, "	1.90
J. N. Flanders, "	3.00
William Fagan, "	3.60
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\$23.30

John E. Saltmarsh, highw'y,	20.00
William Fagan, "	7.00
Peter Fagan, "	4.00
J. N. Flanders, "	6.50
W. E. Harrington, "	4.00
W. B. Thompson, "	4.00
F. W. Thompson, "	4.00
Lewis B. Thompson, "	4.00
C. H. Merrill, "	3.50
F. A. Emerson, "	7.00

\$87.30

DISTRICT NO. 21.	
Daniel Farnum, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$85.00
Cr. By labor of	
Lowell Brown, br. roads,	\$24.50
Lowell Brown, highway,	4.00
Amount unexpended,	56.50
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	\$85.00

DISTRICT NO. 22.	
Charles Hall, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$75.00
Amount unexpended, 1872,	.75
Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges,	3.75
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	\$79.50

Cr. By labor of	
Charles Hall, br. roads,	\$14.00
Geo. Wheeler, "	5.50
Thomas Wheeler, "	5.50
Oliver Hart, "	5.50
Charles Hall, teams & men, as per bill, highway,	49.00
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	\$79.50

DISTRICT NO. 23.	
Isaac N. Abbott, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$125.00
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges,	373.57
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	\$498.57

Cr. By labor of	
I. N. Abbott, b'k'g roads,	\$10.50
J. E. Baker, "	2.62
J. E. Proctor, "	14.00
I. H. Proctor, "	6.13
F. G. Proctor, "	7.00
J. S. Abbott, "	10.94
D. Wyman, "	3.50
F. R. Carver, "	2.62
Hiram Stuart, "	2.62
Frank Abbott, "	2.62
J. Bodwell, "	1.30
F. G. Corliss, "	4.37
J. Corliss, "	1.75
F. W. Page, "	5.25
A. Webster, "	1.75
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	\$76.97

Isaac N. Abbott, new road,	\$98.00
J. E. Baker, "	36.00
J. S. Abbott, "	62.00
J. E. Proctor, "	34.00
I. H. Proctor, "	14.00
S. Currier, "	29.00
J. Wilkinson, "	11.00
W. H. Currier, "	8.00
S. S. Page, "	20.00
James Barney, "	9.60
Isaac N. Abbott, highway,	28.00
J. E. Baker, "	20.00
D. Knowlton, "	7.50
J. E. Proctor, "	5.00
F. G. Proctor, "	17.50
J. S. Abbott, "	15.20
D. Wyman, "	1.00
Amount in surveyor's hands,	5.80
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	\$498.57

DISTRICT NO. 24.	
Joseph E. Brown, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$45.00
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges,	11.20
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	\$56.20

Cr. By labor of	
J. E. Brown, break'g roads,	\$4.20
A. S. Smith, "	3.50
J. H. Goodwin, "	3.50
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	\$11.20
J. E. Brown,	14.00
A. S. Smith,	12.42
Josiah Dow,	15.75
Cash in hands of surveyor,	2.83
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	\$56.20

DISTRICT NO. 25.	
Charles Flanders, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$100.00
Amount unexpended, 1871,	25.00
Balance in surveyor's hands, 1872,	24.18
Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges,	35.00
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	\$184.18



Cr. By labor of		DISTRICT No. 29.	
Wm. Abbott, break'g roads,	\$6.00	W. F. Drew, Surveyor,	Dr.
John L. Gordon, "	3.50	To appropriation, 1873,	\$40.00
Geo. T. Abbott, "	5.72	Transferred from appropriation for roads and bridges,	7.74
John Rowell, "	17.24		
Ira Abbott, "	1.75		
Moses B. Abbott, "	2.63		\$47.74
Isaac Wheeler, "	4.25	Cr. By labor of	
John Wheeler, "	3.92	W. F. Drew, break'g roads,	\$11.75
Charles Abbott, "	3.50	C. Baker, "	2.75
Giles Wheeler, "	2.00	N. Baker, "	1.75
Charles Flanders, "	13.67	J. Baker, "	2.62
	\$64.18		\$18.87
Moses B. Abbott, highway,	15.75	Nathan Baker, highway,	7.87
F. Clough, "	14.00	W. F. Drew, "	21.00
John Rowell, "	1.75		
N. K. Emery, "	1.75		\$47.74
William Abbott, "	3.50		
D. L. Sanders, "	.87	DISTRICT No. 30.	
Ira Abbott, "	1.75	Elbridge Dimond, Surveyor,	Dr.
Charles Abbott, "	2.62	To appropriation, 1873,	\$55.00
J. C. & J. F. Wheeler, "	20.12	Amount unexpended, 1872,	19.21
W. W. Clark, "	3.50	Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges,	2.30
Charles Flanders, "	34.44		
M. T. Ladd, "	14.95		
M. B. Abbott, "	5.00		\$76.51
		Cr. By labor of	
	\$184.18	Elbridge Dimond, br. roads,	\$8.75
DISTRICT No. 26.		David Carter, "	9.10
M. H. Johnson, Agent,	Dr.	J. J. Thompson, "	6.12
To appropriation,	\$85.00	Frank Carrier, "	3.50
		William Broad, "	4.72
Cr. By labor of		Timothy Carter, "	7.09
M. H. Johnson and team,		F. B. Carter, "	6.12
highway,	\$17.00		
S. H. Mills, highway,	3.50		\$45.31
T. Moran, "	3.50	E. Dimond, highway,	10.40
John Whalen, "	3.50	F. B. Carter, "	2.40
P. Glenin, "	3.50	Timothy Carter, "	6.10
B. Riley, "	3.50	Daniel Carter, "	3.80
J. H. Lamprey, "	3.50	William Broad, "	4.50
E. Lamprey, "	1.75	Frank Carrier, "	2.00
M. Whalen, "	3.50	G. H. Dimond, "	2.00
Hugh Lynch, "	3.50		
William Lynch, "	3.50		\$76.51
G. W. Chesley, team, highway,	11.25	DISTRICT No. 31.	
John Corliss, team, highway,	7.50	Robert K. Lougee, Surveyor,	Dr.
Amount unexpended,	16.00	To appropriation, 1873,	\$30.00
		Amount unexpended, 1872,	20.93
	\$85.00		\$50.93

Cr. By labor of

Robert K. Lougee,	\$4.40
Reuben Myers,	2.00
Amount unexpended,	44.53
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	\$50.93

## DISTRICT No. 32.

John T. Gilman, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$47.00
Cr. By labor of	
A. J. Smith, break'g roads,	\$4.50
J. T. Gilman,	3.00
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	\$7.50
John T. Gilman,	21.75
George Holt,	10.50
Amount unexpended,	7.25
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	\$47.00

## DISTRICT No. 33.

Harrison Bean, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$50.00
Amount unexpended, 1872,	34.32
Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges,	.28
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	\$84.60
Cr. By labor of	
Harrison Bean, br. roads,	\$23.60
E. R. Noyes,	1.00
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	\$24.60

By labor of

Dan'l S. Webster and teams,	\$23.50
W. W. Haselton,	1.50
Harrison Bean,	23.50
R. H. Pattee,	3.00
Amount in surveyor's hands,	8.50
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	\$84.60

## DISTRICT No. 34.

George Graham, Surveyor,	Dr.
To appropriation, 1873,	\$50.00
Transferred from appropriation for roads & bridges,	47.00
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	\$97.00
Cr. By labor of	
George Graham, br. roads,	\$18.81
C. C. Graham,	7.27
Mark Sargent,	2.87
John Bourlet,	.87
Andrew Moody,	5.25
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	\$35.07
Geo. Graham, highways,	26.27
Joseph Brown,	.88
M. C. Sanborn,	3.50
A. Moody,	5.59
J. Bourlet,	7.34
C. Graham,	16.85
J. L. Tallant, timber,	1.50
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	\$97.00

## REBUILDING FEDERAL BRIDGE.

The town of Concord built, in 1851, on the site of the old Federal bridge, the stone piers, abutments, and covered wooden bridge, which was carried away by the ice freshet of April 11, 1872. A short distance below was located the bridge of the Boston, Concord & Montreal Railroad Co., which was carried away at the same time. Temporary bridges were built soon after, supported by piles, and were continued in use to April of the next year.

Aug. 31, 1872, the city council authorized the Mayor, in behalf of the city, to enter into an agreement with said railroad company, by which the piers and abutments were to be built of sufficient length to place thereon two bridges, one for the railroad track, and the other for the public highway,—each party paying one half of the expense of constructing, maintaining, and keeping them in repair. This agreement bears date Aug. 1, 1872, and is recorded in city records, vol. 2, page 410.

The spans of the old superstructure were—

North span,	.	.	.	.	.	.	95 feet.
Middle span,	.	.	.	.	.	.	$157\frac{1}{2}$
South span,	.	.	.	.	.	.	$170\frac{1}{2}$
							Total, <u>423</u>

October 21, such a contract was entered into between the city and the Wrought Iron Bridge Company, of Canton, Ohio, to erect, according to plans and specifications furnished by it, a wrought iron column and channel arch bridge on the foundations referred to, for the sum of \$18,462.59. It was opened for public travel, April 1, 1873, and, after a trial of nearly one year, has proved to be a substantial piece of work, answering all the purposes for which it was designed.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Appropriation, April 27, 1872,	10,000.00
"    April 12, 1873,	12,000.00
"    Jan. 31, 1874,	5,000.00
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Paid as follows:

Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad Co., for one half of the expense of stone work furnished by it in excess of the amount furnished by the city,	\$7,546.88
Samuel J. Shaw, for stone,	863.56
Jeremiah Brown, rubbing east abutment,	47.46
M. H. Johnson, " " "	46.00
H. E. Perkins, 127 loads of stone,	12.70
C. C. Lund, engineering,	45.25
Wrought Iron Bridge Company,	18,462.50
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Total expenses,	\$27,024.35
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Appropriation overdrawn,	\$24.35

JOHN KIMBALL, *Superintendent.*

## WATERING THE STREETS.

The streets have been sprinkled by using the city teams during the past summer. I herewith submit the following report of the receipts and disbursements for the examination of all who are interested.

### RECEIPTS.

*From persons on the east side of Main Street.*

Onslow Stearns,	\$10.00	F. Low,	\$2.00
J. P. Stickney,	3.00	J. C. Kilburn,	3.00
Levi Locke,	2.00	H. Churchill,	3.00
O. V. & W. H. Pitman,	5.00	A. T. Sanger,	5.00
Savage Brothers,	5.00	Lawrence & Johnson,	2.00
C. Thorn & Son,	3.00	W. H. Wright & Co.,	2.00
J. M. Blake,	2.00	Cyrus Hill & Son,	5.00
John I. Eastman,	2.00	F. B. Underhill,	6.00
J. D. Johnson,	2.00	H. Strauss,	6.00
L. A. Haseltine,	1.00	Mugridge & Tappan,	2.00
Geo. Noyes,	2.00	S. G. Lane,	2.00
J. E. Clifford,	5.00	C. S. Eastman,	5.00
E. Knight,	5.00	Sam. Butterfield,	6.00
James Moore & Sons,	5.00	Stanley & Ayer,	5.00
Gage & Conn,	2.00	E. W. Woodward & Co.,	6.00
W. B. Stearns,	5.00	R. Mayers,	5.00
H. H. Aldrich,	5.00	Phenix Hotel,	10.00
N. H. Savings Bank,	5.00	Gust. Walker,	6.00
Cone & Everett,	5.00	Woodworth Brothers,	6.00
Eagle Hotel,	10.00	J. H. Gallinger,	2.00
J. H. Morrill,	5.00	Cummings & Young,	3.00
C. J. Dow,	2.00	Lincoln & Richardson,	6.00
E. C. Eastman,	2.00	Rep. Press Association,	5.00
Jane L. Crawford,	3.00	J. E. Pecker,	2.00
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge,	10.00	N. G. Carr,	3.00
J. B. Rand,	2.00	Batchelder & Co.,	5.00
Prescott Organ Co.,	2.00	R. C. Danforth & Co.,	5.00
Shaw & Drew,	5.00	Carter Brothers,	5.00
Clarke Brothers,	5.00	D. A. McCurdy,	5.00
Robinson & Tilton,	5.00	Flanders & Emmons,	5.00
J. T. Sleeper,	5.00	Lewis Barter,	2.00
W. K. Day,	2.00	J. D. Shaw,	2.00
John Jackman,	2.00	A. W. Gale,	2.00
Upton & Farley,	2.00	S. C. Morrill,	5.00
E. W. Abbott,	1.00	C. E. Cummings,	2.00
J. S. Blanchard,	3.00	Farley Brothers,	2.00
Eagle Book-store,	3.00	James R. Hill,	7.00
Geo. W. Drew,	3.00	L. A. Smith,	5.00
M. B. Critchett,	3.00	J. E. Dwight,	3.00
M. M. Smith,	6.00	Ford & Kimball,	5.00
T. W. & J. H. Stewart,	6.00		
S. & S. C. Eastman,	2.00		\$331.00

*West side Main Street.*

Asa Fowler,	\$5.00	Stevens & Dunklee,	6.00
J. S. Lund,	3.00	G. H. Adams,	6.00
J. H. Abbott,	5.00	First National Bank,	6.00
F. Evans,	1.00	Page & Albin,	2.00
J. S. Norris,	2.00	C. C. Davis,	3.00
J. S. Norris & Co.,	5.00	John Rollins,	1.00
Mrs. Folger,	2.50	C. W. Allen,	1.00
S. L. F. Simpson,	2.50	M. N. Ward,	.50
Cummings Brothers,	5.00	A. P. Sherburne,	3.00
F. Evans's store,	5.00	James R. Hill & Co.,	8.00
— Furnald,	2.00	Geo. W. Wadleigh,	3.00
J. F. Hoyt & Co.,	6.00	James Hazelton,	6.00
Davis & Morey,	2.00	A. Leavens,	6.00
A. M. Bond,	5.00	Marshall & Chase,	2.00
C. H. Martin & Co.,	6.00	G. L. Cook,	2.00
C. H. & W. H. Fay,	3.00	Webster, Morrill & Danforth,	2.00
Wm. Sharples,	.50	Harris & Co.,	6.00
Mr. Hubbard,	2.00	Underhill & Kittredge,	3.00
William Gilman,	2.00	D. L. Guernsey,	3.00
C. A. Perkins,	2.00	E. N. Shepard,	3.00
J. H. Chase,	5.00	Sewing Machine Co.,	3.00
Morrill & Silsby,	5.00	Hammond & Ayers,	5.00
S. F. Morrill & Co.,	5.00	Mrs. D. B. Jones,	5.00
D. E. Howard,	2.00	J. M. Jones,	6.00
Wheeler & Wilson,	2.00	Patriot Office,	5.00
Wm. Marshall,	5.00	E. C. Bailey,	2.00
L. H. Carroll,	5.00	Sanborn & Clark,	2.00
State Capital Bank,	5.00	B. W. Sanborn & Co.,	6.00
John Knee,	1.00	John H. Hill,	2.00
Frank Marden,	5.00		
M. Flanders,	5.00		\$220.00

*Capitol Street.*

Concord Gas-Light Co.,	\$5.00	Cheney & Co.,	\$15.00
Geo. Goodhue,	2.00		<hr/>
			\$22.00

*School Street.*

W. B. Durgin,	\$3.00	Mr. Russell,	\$1.00
John H. Morse,	2.00	H. A. Miles,	5.00
Savings Bank,	2.00	Minot & Co.,	5.00
John B. Coleman,	2.00		<hr/>
			\$20.00

*Warren Street.*

Shattuck & Co.,	\$3.00	J. E. McShane,	\$1.00
A. Foster,	5.00	Ordway & Ferrin,	2.00
H. P. Moore,	2.00	E. O. Murphy,	1.00
Frank Owen,	3.00		<hr/>
B. Carr,	3.00		\$20.00

*Pleasant Street.*

V. Atkins,	\$3.00	Charles Crow,	\$3.00
Kilburn & Glennon,	2.00		
F. E. Ingalls,	3.00		<u>\$11.00</u>

*State Street.*

John Kimball,	\$5.00	A. C. Pierce,	\$5.00
Calvin Howe,	5.00	W. W. Storrs,	5.00
C. H. Norton,	5.00		
B. Biddle,	5.00		<u>\$30.00</u>

## RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
East side of Main street,	\$331.00	Paid—	
West side of Main street,	220.00	A. G. Jones, for sprinkler,	\$250.00
Capitol street,	22.00	City treasurer, to credit of	
School street,	22.00	fire department,	379.00
Warren street,	20.00	A. J. Hall, for collecting,	25.00
Pleasant street,	11.00		
State street,	30.00	Total,	<u>\$654.00</u>
Total receipts,	<u>\$654.00</u>		

The expense of putting in the pipes and fixtures for taking water from the city water-works, in front of the state house and near the Elm house, has been charged to incidentals, and amounts to about \$200. The expense for the water furnished by the commissioners has not been paid.

JOHN KIMBALL,

*Superintendent Highways.*

## Report of the Committee on Sewerage.

### *To the City Council :*

The Committee on Sewerage have caused to be built, during the year, sewers as follows :

From Warren street, near the house of True Osgood, north through Bowery avenue to School street, about 455 feet long, 18 inches diameter.

From the termination of the above on School street, west through said street to Spring street, 250 feet long, 18 inches in diameter.

From the termination of the above on Spring street, north through said street to a point opposite the house of Henry C. Sanborn, 12 inches in diameter.

From School street, near the house of G. W. Carter, north through land of Jacob Carter and others, to Prince street, 335 feet long, 12 inches in diameter.

Sewer from Main street west, through Cross street to State street, 342 feet long, 10 inches in diameter.

The cost of the first four, all being connected, is as follows :

Paid L. R. Fellows and men,	\$736.18	
Hutchins & Co., cement,	83.39	
N. Robinson, brick,	101.30	
Samuel Holt, "	15.20	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, tools,	11.60	
B. W. Sanborn & Co., cement pipe,	754.20	
L. R. Fellows, cash paid for incidentals,	31.90	
Concord Gas-Light Co., damage to pipe,	5.01	
Ford & Kimball, castings,	256.67	
E. B. Hutchinson, lumber and labor,	7.32	
500 ft. 18 in. cement pipe (paid for in 1872),	495.00	
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		\$2,497.77

Cost of the sewer in Cross street :

Paid M. H. Johnson and men, labor,	277.27	
B. W. Sanborn & Co., cement pipe,	178.90	
Ford & Kimball, castings,	41.35	
Brick, cement, and labor for cess-pools, estimated (charged in Ward-house acc't),	50.00	
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		547.52
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		\$3,045.29

JOHN KIMBALL, }  
J. B. WALKER, } *Committee.*  
J. E. HUTCHINS, }



# REPORT

OF

## COMMITTEE ON CITY FARM.

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*To the City Council:*

The undersigned, joint standing committee on the city farm, respectfully present the twenty-first Annual Report of the Receipts and Expenditures of the city farm, for the year ending February 1, 1874, together with the inventory of the property of the city belonging thereto. In presenting this report, your committee are of opinion that the welfare of the inmates at the farm has been carefully considered by the overseer and matron; and, judging from the financial exhibit of the past year, that the farm has been well managed.

DANIEL HOLDEN.  
DAVID C. TENNEY.  
DANIEL G. HOLMES.

Inventory of property at city farm, February 1, 1874:

Farm and buildings, \$15,000.00	1 mowing machine,	\$65.00
Beds and household	3 ox carts,	200.00
furniture, 300.00	1 wagon,	40.00
10 cows, <i>a</i> \$40.00 400.00	1 cultivator,	3.50
3 yoke oxen, <i>a</i> 200.00 600.00	5 plows,	40.00
1 bull, 3 years old, 40.00	2 hay racks,	20.00
1 horse, 200.00	1 grindstone,	3.00
87 fowls, <i>a</i> .75 65.25	4 harrows,	30.00
14 tons good	200 lbs. fresh pork,	18.00
hay, <i>a</i> 20.00 280.00	22 bushels white	
16 tons stock	beans, <i>a</i> 3.00 66.00	
hay, <i>a</i> 14.00 224.00	3 bush. speckled	
1 ton straw, 10.00	beans, <i>a</i> 2.00 6.00	
13 hogs, <i>a</i> 12.00 156.00	1 bush. peas, <i>a</i> 1.00 1.00	
5 pitchforks, <i>a</i> .50 2.50	20 lbs. sausage, <i>a</i> .12½ 2.50	

1 bushel rye,	\$1.00	1 clothes-wringer,	\$8.00
200 bushels corn, <i>a</i> 1.00	200.00	1 jack-screw,	5.00
Lot of pop corn,	6.00	Lot of bits,	2.00
1 winnowing mill,	14.00	1 scalding-tub, beetle,	7.00
20 flour barrels,	2.00	and wedge,	30.00
1 set dry measures,	5.00	1 cart-body for stone,	1.00
3 manure forks,	3.50	1 hand-saw,	6.00
14 chains,	18.00	2 pair pole straps and	3.00
3 claw-forks,	3.00	halter,	15.00
4 shovels,	3.00	2 drag rakes,	20.00
2 pickaxes,	2.00	3 set harness,	31.50
3 whiffletrees,	3.00	4 ox yokes,	4.55
1 iron bar,	1.00	125 lbs. lard, <i>a</i> .12½	40.80
8 baskets,	5.00	7 gal. molasses, <i>a</i> .65	5.00
1 steel trap,	1.00	68 bushels oats, <i>a</i> .60	4.50
8 cider barrels,	8.00	½ barrel pickles,	8.00
42 cords wood, <i>a</i> 4.00	168.00	½ barrel flour,	4.00
6 hoes, <i>a</i> .50	3.00	25 galls. vinegar,	4.00
Lumber, 3,000		4 barrels carrots,	4.00
feet, <i>a</i> 20.00	60.00	4 bush. beets, <i>a</i> 1.00	5.00
1 traverse sled,	15.00	50 lbs. beef, <i>a</i> .10	70.00
Lot of grass seed,	8.25	700 lbs. salt pork, <i>a</i> .10	25.00
1 washing machine,	10.00	250 lbs. hams, <i>a</i> .10	1.00
2 bush scythes,	2.00	3 bushels turnips,	12.00
4 wood saws,	\$6.00	4 barrels soap,	315.00
3 scythes and snaths,	4.00	450 bush. potatoes, <i>a</i> .70	4.00
6 axes,	6.00	50 cabbage,	10.50
1 ox sled,	20.00	70 lbs. cheese, <i>a</i> .15	4.80
1 wheelbarrow,	4.00	40 lbs. candles,	4.00
1 witch chain,	1.00	½ barrel cider,	25.00
1 monkey-wrench,	1.00	1 horse rake,	2.00
1 hammer,	1.00	3 planes,	6.00
4 corn-cutters,	3.00	1 hay-cutter,	1.75
4 ox muzzles and 2 pair		7 hand rakes,	6.00
steel yards,	6.00	4 ladders,	12.00
4 chisels and 1 garden		1 new sled,	
rake,	2.00		
1 cross-cut saw,	3.00	Total inventory, \$19,074.90	

### RECEIPTS.

1873.

Feb.	1.	By Cash on hand,	\$299.55
		By bills to be collected,	155.27
		By Geo. W. Brown's note, dated	
		Jan. 1, 1873,	210.00
	7.	Cash for straw,	.85
	9.	potatoes,	2.50

Feb.	26.	Cash for beans,	\$1.75
		carrots,	.15
	28.	potatoes,	3.85
		5 hens,	5.00
		milk in Feb., 1873,	46.37
March	1.	straw,	.85
	12.	potatoes,	1.50
	17.	board of J. Whitney,	22.00
	19.	sow and pigs,	28.00
		lumber,	.15
	25.	labor,	9.00
		milk in March, 1873,	61.10
April	3.	labor,	2.25
		potatoes,	12.75
		eggs,	3.35
		use of horse,	.75
		straw,	1.45
		turnips,	1.25
		oats,	4.20
		labor,	2.00
	30.	milk in April, 1873,	59.79
May	3.	eggs,	.50
		potatoes,	.55
	9.	labor,	5.00
	12.	oats,	.65
		potatoes,	2.50
		pig,	5.00
		labor,	10.50
	18.	keeping drove of cattle,	3.75
	23.	potatoes,	6.00
		wood,	7.00
	25.	beans and straw,	2.80
	30.	calf,	2.00
		milk in May,	66.90
June	5.	straw,	.33
		keeping traveller,	1.00
		use of horse,	2.00
		beans,	.26
	10.	keeping travellers,	3.25
		straw,	.70
		lumber,	51.14
	15.	potatoes,	3.00
	21.	labor and oats,	11.50
	22.	use of horse,	.50
		pig,	5.00
	23.	potatoes,	7.00
		straw,	.25

June	26.	Cash for 2 pigs,	\$10.00
		labor,	314.00
	30.	milk in June, 1873,	52.00
July	4.	use of horses,	4.00
	6.	peas,	1.00
	11.	2 pigs,	12.00
		peas,	3.75
	16.	2 pigs,	10.00
	18.	use of horses,	2.00
		keeping travellers,	2.25
		potatoes and straw,	5.75
	20.	eggs,	.75
	22.	peas,	.75
	26.	2 pigs,	12.00
		peas,	2.00
		potatoes and beans,	.50
	31.	milk in July, 1873,	55.62
Aug	1.	peas,	.75
		lumber,	15.90
	3.	board of Mr. Putney,	6.50
	6.	eggs,	2.35
	7.	cheese,	.25
	9.	board of J. Whitney,	22.00
		potatoes,	1.50
		labor,	203.50
		peas,	1.12
	9.	hay,	9.20
	12.	labor,	2.50
		beets and peas,	.85
	15.	labor,	5.00
	16.	potatoes and cucumbers,	3.24
		cabbage,	.40
		eggs,	.81
	18.	keeping traveller,	1.25
		potatoes,	3.00
	19.	use of horse,	1.50
	26.	calf,	2.50
		cabbage,	.25
		use of horse,	2.00
	31.	milk in August, 1873,	59.74
Sept.	2.	potatoes and peas,	2.77
		use of horse,	1.00
		vegetables,	.62
		eggs,	.56
	4.	keeping oxen,	30.60
		labor,	10.50
	10.	vegetables,	16.25

Sept.	13.	Cash for use of horse,	\$2.00
	16.	vegetables,	3.15
	19.	eggs,	.56
		labor,	6.00
	20.	use of horse,	2.00
		labor,	189.50
		board of J. Whitney,	22.00
		vegetables,	11.76
		eggs,	.56
		milk in September, 1873,	55.89
Oct.	1.	keeping traveller,	.75
		potatoes and straw,	4.85
		calf,	8.00
		labor,	1.25
	10.	eggs,	.62
		vegetables,	3.50
		keeping traveller,	.50
	16.	vegetables,	5.25
	21.	keeping cattle,	11.00
		straw,	1.15
		potatoes,	2.50
	27.	eggs,	1.40
	31.	keeping cattle,	5.25
		milk in October, 1873,	57.21
Nov.		keeping cattle,	2.00
		vegetables,	31.52
	7.	hay,	12.00
	9.	from city for hauling stone,	378.50
	14.	keeping travellers,	.75
	24.	potatoes,	4.00
		lumber,	1.50
	29.	milk in November, 1873,	52.90
Dec.	4.	labor,	3.00
		cow hide,	4.00
		sausage,	1.27
	6.	keeping oxen,	10.00
		straw,	1.50
	14.	labor,	15.75
	16.	from town of Dorchester,	9.00
	19.	for board of J. Whitney,	22.00
	27.	potatoes,	1.50
		potatoes,	1.71
		use of horse,	1.75
		lumber,	2.00
		keeping traveller,	1.00
		milk in December, 1873,	50.18

1874.	
Jan.	3. Cash for pork, beef, and chickens, \$27.48
	potatoes, 2.75
	5. cow, 51.75
	pork, 12.36
	pork, 70.40
	7. chickens, 3.92
	10. labor 2.50
	17. 2 pigs, 9.00
	keeping cow, 10.00
	19. potatoes, 3.00
	1 pair oxen, 190.00
	from B. F. & D. Holden,
	balance of account, 74.01
	19. old iron, 3.00
	sundries, 62.12
	use of horse, .50
	labor, 3.00
	24. board of E. Glover, 20.00
	labor, 223.25
	hay, 17.50
	$\frac{1}{2}$ cord wood, 2.50
	use of horse, .50
	labor, 5.00
	vegetables, .75
	potatoes, 11.75
	beans, 10.00
	27. vegetables, 13.25
	labor, 1.50
	potatoes, 5.25
	beans, 2.00
	30. pork, 27.36
	potatoes, 3.75
	beans, 2.42
	potatoes, 3.75
	squashes, .25
	potatoes, 2.50
	labor, 54.75
	31. lumber, 7.00
	beans, 1.00
	wood and sawing, 47.10
	2 pigs, 10.00
	peas, 5.00
	beans and cucumbers, 3.85
	cabbages and turnips, 1.00
	potatoes, 40.50
	labor, 2.00

Jan.	31.	Cash for wood,	\$15.00
		straw,	2.00
		keeping cow,	1.50
		veal,	5.60
		board of overseer's horse,	60.00
		milk in January, 1874,	47.28
		chicken and sausage,	2.18
		potatoes,	1.12
		sundries,	59.30
		eggs,	.60
		vegetables,	1.87
		beans,	.50
		labor,	5.00
		from B. F. & D. Holden,	
		error in settlement, Dec.	
		19, 1873,	1.95

Total receipts for the year.	<hr/>	\$4,290.90
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## EXPENDITURES.

1873.			
Feb.	2.	Cash for 2 lbs. coffee,	\$1.00
	6.	repairing saws,	.60
		tobacco,	.60
	8.	2 lbs. tea,	2.00
	15.	sugar and oil,	1.00
	24.	paid T. W. Chase, for la-	
		bor,	12.50
		lamp chimneys,	.30
	26.	account book,	1.50
March	4.	1 pair boots,	2.25
	8.	shorts,	5.00
	10.	washing machine,	12.00
		mending boots and shoes,	2.85
		3 lbs. coffee,	1.00
	15.	repairs on saw,	.60
	18.	1 cow,	36.50
		1 lb. tea,	1.00
	20.	oysters and crackers,	.60
		shoeing horse,	1.60
	25.	paint,	3.60
		2 whip lashes,	.24
	27.	thread,	.36
		web of cotton cloth,	5.85
		22 yards print,	2.42
		shorts,	6.62

April		Cash for Ira Phillips, for labor,	\$2.00
	9.	Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, for axes and shovel,	6.20
		tax on city farm,	18.70
		bedbug poison,	.30
		camphene,	.10
	13.	sawing lumber,	47.64
		plow point,	1.00
		horse medicine,	.75
	15.	fare to county farm,	1.65
	21.	grass seed,	8.25
	24.	garden seeds,	5.00
		shorts,	5.62
		1 yoke of oxen and ex- penses,	254.35
		1 quart oil,	.28
	25.	Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, per bill,	4.18
		1 ox yoke,	4.00
	27.	ashes,	1.50
		2 bags cracked corn,	3.20
		stocking yarn,	5.12
		18½ lbs. tobacco,	4.62
May	5.	repairs on shed,	6.00
	12.	pasturing oxen,	4.50
		Ira Phillips, for labor,	2.00
		Batchelder & Co.,	32.02
	27.	2 hats,	.70
		copper rivets,	1.25
June	5.	towards oxen,	35.00
		paupers,	3.20
	10.	Geo. Goodhue, for labor,	4.50
		door-bell,	2.25
	11.	potatoes,	1.00
		quarter beef,	9.40
		cabbage seed,	.30
	14.	use of horse,	6.50
		strainer cloth,	.36
	16.	thread,	.38
	24.	Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, per bill,	8.63
		manure,	30.00
		J. Muzzey, for labor,	60.00
July	4.	Amos Patten, for labor,	25.00
		fresh meat,	2.25
	5.	2 hats,	.50



July	17	Cash for B. Donahoe, for labor,	\$10.00
		putty,	.10
		E. Partridge, for labor,	10.00
	19.	fresh beef,	.90
	24.	fish,	1.00
	26.	meal,	2.25
Aug.	1.	cherries,	1.60
		paregoric,	.30
		mending harness,	.15
	6.	Amos Potter, for labor,	58.00
		E. Partridge, for labor.	77.50
	9.	mending boots, shoes, and	
		harness,	3.15
		crackers,	.25
		bolts,	3.20
		lumber,	4.50
		corn,	73.44
	15.	shorts,	9.24
		oil and sugar,	1.00
Sept.	2.	use of wagon,	6.00
		hay,	24.37
	3.	fresh meat,	2.50
	11.	grass,	35.00
	12.	pasturing oxen,	11.00
	16.	fresh meat,	1.00
		2 baskets,	1.50
	19.	Warde, Humphrey &	
		Dodge, per bill,	4.25
	20.	tie chains,	1.00
	23.	2 cows,	89.00
	24.	1 teakettle, and mending	
		tins,	2.47
		glass and putty,	1.78
		fresh meat,	1.90
Oct.	1.	F. Remington, for labor,	6.50
	3.	1 pair shoes,	1.80
	10.	1 jacket,	1.75
		Ira Phillips, for labor,	1.50
		apples,	1.00
	15.	136 lbs. beef,	13.84
		manure,	25.00
		labor,	8.50
		fresh meat,	1.50
Nov.	7.	Batchelder & Co.,	22.57
		manure,	48.00
		fresh meat,	2.15
	10.	Warde, Humphrey &	
		Dodge, per bill,	50.00

Nov.	10.	Cash for J. Muzzey, for labor,	\$157.00
		blacksmith work,	72.95
	13.	1 pair boots,	4.50
		1 cap,	1.00
	21.	Chas. Brown, for labor,	27.00
	24.	axes and handles,	3.80
		glass and putty,	1.17
		insurance on lobby,	2.00
	28.	use of wagon wheels,	5.00
		lamp chimneys,	.20
	29.	sawing lumber,	5.15
		12 yards flannel,	5.40
		20 yards print,	2.00
		45 yards cotton cloth,	5.40
		1 tub butter,	10.32
		2 lbs. tea,	2.00
		1 barrel cider,	5.50
Dec.	6.	1 pair boots,	3.50
		1 pair boots,	2.10
	11.	rubbers,	.75
	16.	Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, per bill,	6.04
		holdback straps,	4.50
		crackers,	.25
	24.	B. G. Carter, blacksmith bill,	34.50
		cart wheels,	19.00
Jan.	1.	C. Thorn, for bill,	3.25
		1 pair suspenders,	.50
		1 pair drawers,	1.00
		2 handkerchiefs,	.50
		1 cap,	1.50
		tobacco,	.85
		2 boxes collars,	.50
		sawing lumber,	18.15
	5.	shoeing horse,	1.00
		H. H. Farnum, for bill,	55.11
	12.	Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, for bill,	27.04
		B. G. Carter, blacksmith work,	19.00
		N. H. Patriot,	1.87
		S. F. Abbott, meat bill,	5.54
	19.	F. A. Fiske, store bill,	125.68
		use of wagon,	4.5
		butchering,	1.50
		manure,	30.00

Jan.	19.	Cash for 1 gallon kerosene oil,	.30	
	22.	D. Crowley for blacksmith		
		work,	17.42	
		repairing saws,	3.15	
		shoeing horses,	3.15	
	24.	1 pair boots,	4.00	
		preaching,	5.00	
	25.	2 yards flannel,	1.16	
		Eastman, Currier & Co.,	649.31	
	26.	butchering,	3.00	
		nails,	.40	
		1 rooster,	1.50	
		6 bushels rye,	6.00	
		1 pair shoes,	2.00	
		Batchelder & Co., store		
		bill,	7.10	
		Ford & Co., per bill,	14.70	
	29.	Byron Kempton, for la-		
		bor,	291.70	
		1 cow,	45.10	
		labor,	8.50	
	30.	C. F. Fletcher, for iron		
		work, per bill,	19.75	
		irons for sled,	1.50	
		grass,	10.00	
		S. F. Abbott, meal bill,	3.34	
		J. Chesley, for blacksmith		
		work,	4.50	
		use of overseer's horse and		
		carriage,	35.00	
		Harrison Partridge, over-		
		seer's salary,	600.00	
Total expenditures,				\$3,743.75

## STATEMENT.

Appraised value of farm and buildings,		
Feb. 1, 1874,	\$15,000.00	
Appraised value of personal property,		
Feb. 1, 1874,	4,074.90	
	<hr/>	\$19,074.90
Appraised value of farm and buildings,		
Feb. 1, 1873,	\$15,000.00	
Appraised value of personal property,		
Feb. 1, 1873,	3,810.40	
	<hr/>	\$18,810.40

Increase in personal property,	\$264.50
Total receipts for the year ending Jan. 31, 1874,	\$4,290.90
Less outstanding bills of Feb. 1, 1873, uncollected and charged as cash,	\$43.50
Less outstanding note of George W. Brown, dated Jan. 1, 1873, charged in account Feb. 1, 1873, and uncollected Feb. 1, 1874,	210.00
Less note against Hiram Farnum, dated Dec. 1, 1873, and uncollected Feb. 1, 1874,	190.00
	<hr/> \$443.50
Actual cash receipts for the year,	\$3,847.40
Actual cash expenditures for the year,	3,743.75
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Cash balance on hand Feb. 1, 1874,	\$103.65
Notes, as above, on hand,	400.00
Outstanding bills,	263.54
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Gross amount of cash, notes, and bills,	\$767.19
Less amount due L. Tyler for oxen,	200.00
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Net amount of cash, notes, and bills on hand Feb. 1, 1874,	\$567.19
Net amount of cash, notes, and bills on hand Feb. 1, 1873,	\$664.82
Net amount of cash, notes, and bills on hand Feb. 1, 1874,	567.19
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Decrease in cash, notes, and bills Feb. 1, 1874, as compared with Feb. 1, 1873,	\$97.63
Increase in valuation of personal property,	264.50
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Profit for the year,	\$166.87

#### NAMES OF THE PAUPERS AT THE FARM FEB. 1, 1874.

John Whitney,	aged 76 years.	Lucinda Wilson,	aged 56 years.
James W. Powers,	" 69 "	Edward D. Wilson,	" 14 "
Daniel Rodgers,	" 69 "	Joseph H. Morrill,	age unknown.
Eleazer Davis,	" 83 "	Edward Fisk,	" 33 "
Charlotte Lovejoy,	" 76 "	Edward S. Glover,	" 45 "
Orrilla Batchelder,	" 62 "	John B. Crummett,	" 66 "
Sarah J. Sargent,	" 43 "	Joseph Glines,	" 77 "

# NAMES OF THE PAUPERS AT THE FARM FEB. 1, 1873, AND DISCHARGED DURING THE YEAR.

Martha Sargent, aged 17; discharged March 5, 1873.

George T. Wilson, aged 11; discharged March 22, 1873.

## NAMES OF THE PAUPERS RECEIVED AND DISCHARGED DURING THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1874.

Minnie Brown, aged 11; rec'd—; disch'd April 26, 1873.

Priscilla Miller, aged 34; rec'd Mar. 8, 1873; disch'd Mar. 14, 1873.

John Lang, aged 11; rec'd April 3, 1873; disch'd Oct. 9, 1873.

Frank Hoyt, aged 45; rec'd May 18, 1873; disch'd May 31, 1873.

Frank Hoyt, aged 45; rec'd Sept. 13, 1873; disch'd Nov. 22, 1873.

James Drew, age unknown; rec'd May 27, 1873; disch'd June 17, 1873.

Elmira Merrill, aged 43; rec'd Dec. 1, 1873; disch'd Dec. 15, 1873.

Louisa Merrill, aged 11; rec'd Dec. 1, 1873; disch'd Dec. 15, 1873.

Number of paupers at the farm Feb. 1, 1874,	14
Number of different paupers at the farm during the year,	24
Average number of different paupers at the farm for 1 year,	15
Number lodged one night or more,	29
Number of criminals sentenced to the house of correction,	2

SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
OVERSEER OF THE POOR  
FOR THE  
CITY OF CONCORD.

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*To the City Council:*

The undersigned respectfully submits his sixth annual report of receipts and expenditures on pauper account, for the year ending January 31, 1874:

RECEIPTS.

Balance unexpended of 1872,	\$966.11
Appropriation for 1873,	2,400.00
Received of Merrimack county, for aid furnished county paupers of 1872,	2,314.23
Collected of sundry parties, bill of 1872,	59.00
	<hr/> \$5,739.34

EXPENDITURES.

CITY PAUPERS.

Aid to Herman Price, American,	\$67.06
John Harrington, Irish,	134.95
Mrs. Wm. Randell, American,	20.00
Mrs. James K. Page, “	74.28
Mrs. Wm. Abbott, “	16.00
Mrs. Edward Morrison, “	23.20
Catherine Baker, “	63.27
Thomas C. Campbell, “	15.00
Josiah Knowles, “	78.00
Clifford family, Irish,	135.91
Francis F. Hoit, American,	70.50
Mrs. James Flynn, Irish,	108.00
Leander C. Barnes, American,	14.00
John K. Lang, American,	6.00
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Total amount furnished city paupers outside  
the almshouse, exclusive of the Asylum  
for the Insane and the State Reform  
School,

\$826.17

Amount paid for support of insane city paupers at the asylum, as follows:

Mrs. Martha Woods,	\$42.49	
Mrs. Ellen M. Summers,	196.87	
Betsy Haines,	50.88	
Bridget Kerley,	217.02	
Samuel McDaniels,	81.47	
Timothy Chandler,	82.17	
George Bickford,	237.98	
	<hr/>	\$908.88

For maintenance of boys at State Reform School the past year:

John Stevens,	\$80.86	
Eugene Callaghan,	83.71	
John O'Brien,	43.43	
Benard Dorian,	104.00	
	<hr/>	\$312.00
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		\$2,047.05

Refunded by town of New Boston,	\$6.00	
Refunded by town of Chichester,	42.49	
Refunded by Anthony Coleman for support of Benard Dorian at State Reform School,	104.00	
County of Merrimack, for John E. Gallagher at State Reform School,	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$160.49
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Whole expense of city paupers off the city farm, including those at the asylum and Reform School, \$1,886.56

Aid furnished county paupers, as follows:

Fred Hanks, French,	\$15.00
Jeremiah Cooney, Irish,	8.05
Mrs. Daniel McDonald, Irish,	4.00
Dennison Stanley, American,	6.00
Mary Storin, Irish,	12.00
Cornelius McCarty, Irish,	44.00
Callahan McCarty, Irish,	69.50
Eleazer Bazro, French,	11.00
Moses Bazro, French,	6.00
John Buckley, Irish,	47.69
Joseph Bondiez, French,	5.00
Mrs. William Hannagan, Irish,	12.75
Mrs. Artemas Glover, French,	10.00

Mrs. Ellen Mahoney, Irish,	\$4.00	
Mrs. Mary Stone, French,	10.00	
Sewell Keyes, American,	4.00	
Mrs. Narcissis Le Clair, French,	4.50	
Mrs. John Haines, American,	258.41	
Mrs. Amasa Ramsdell, American,	5.00	
Mrs. Thomas Coty, French,	111.00	
John Knight, English,	28.50	
Joseph Morsey, French,	15.50	
Mrs. Mary Owens, Irish,	156.00	
Godfrey Jacobs, Jr., French,	3.00	
Mrs. Elizabeth Clary, Irish,	6.00	
Mrs. Mary M. Stone, French,	13.05	
William Marsh, American,	48.00	
Mrs. Orlando Philbrick, American,	48.00	
Georgiana Powell, American,	26.00	
John Laughlin, Irish,	31.00	
Mrs. Charles A. Smith, American,	10.00	
Mrs. Martin Deveney, Irish,	202.51	
Kate Bresnehan, Irish,	25.70	
Rebecca Carter, American,	209.75	
Ellen S. Addis, American,	64.50	
Mrs. John Haskell, colored,	9.00	
Charles Treneworth, English,	3.00	
Charles C. Flanders, American,	40.89	
William H. Libby, American,	6.00	
Mrs. Michael Caffrey, Irish,	3.00	
John Spickett, Irish,	5.00	
Mrs. Daniel Sullivan, Irish,	4.00	
George Washington, colored,	3.00	
Hiram Stevens, American,	6.00	
Isaac Mason, French,	10.00	
Malvina Colby, French,	5.00	
Domino Longto, French,	31.62	
John H. Greenough, American,	19.30	
Transient persons,	141.57	
	<hr/>	\$1,822.88
Kate Wood, at N. H. Asylum,	\$121.31	
Moses Pizas, German, at N. H. Asylum,	87.38	
John E. Gallagher, Irish, State Reform School,	8.00	
	<hr/>	\$218.69
Total expense of county paupers residing in and aided by the city,		\$2,041.57
Total expense of city paupers for the year,		1,886.56
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		\$3,928.13



Total pauper expense brought forward,	\$3,928.13
Balance unexpended,	1,811.21
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	\$5,739.34

The number of applications for aid during the year was 162; number of persons aided, 179, exclusive of the large number of transient persons almost daily applying for assistance. Of the number aided by the city the past year, six have died,—males, 1; females, 5. Of the latter, one was aged 85, and one 94 years. Two were small children, and two died of consumption.

Judiciously to care for the poor, and, at the same time, aid them to care for themselves, has been the aim and object sought in this department of city service the past year. To “feed the hungry and clothe the naked” is only a part of the duty of those to whom this trust is committed. Economy is a virtue, but, in expenditures for suffering humanity, cannot always be strictly enforced. How, when, and to what extent aid should be extended, is a question not always easily to be determined. The importance, however, of suitable, efficient, and discriminating agencies for the judicious disbursement of public or private charities, is readily conceded. The duties of overseers of the poor, appointed by towns or cities, are quite different from, and do not rest upon the same basis as those of the officers of a charitable society. While the former in their official acts are and must be governed by the laws of the state, the latter are left free to follow the impulses of their benevolent and sympathizing hearts, and dispense their charities, and bestow their gifts upon the few, or many, as they deem worthy.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. F. STEWART, *Overseer of the Poor.*

## REPORT OF CITY PHYSICIAN.

*To the City Council:*

I have the honor to submit, for your consideration, the following report in regard to those in our city, as have come under my observation, who have a claim on our sympathy and a public support:

At the city farm there has been but very little acute sickness, and but one accident—that being a man who was carried there after receiving a fracture of the arm. Not a single death has occurred during the past year; and, considering the class of people supported in almshouses, broken in mind and vitality, easily affected by morbid and unhealthy influences surrounding them, sensitive to changes of climate, it shows conclusively that good judgment and great care have been exercised by the superintendent and his wife; for many of those in their charge have some form of chronic disease, which has for a long time unfitted them from supporting themselves. But a well-ordered home, nourishing diet, good care and nursing, render their lives comparatively comfortable, and able to perform many light duties.

I have been called, by the overseer of the poor, to attend cases in twenty different families, supported partially by the city or county, and have found this class of patients generally very grateful for the assistance rendered, and not disposed to ask for help any longer than is absolutely necessary.

Our city has been remarkably free from epidemic or contagious diseases for the past year, which has been favorable to this class of our population; for the first effects of malarial and epidemic influences are primarily found among this unfortunate class in all towns and cities.

Our benevolent societies are and have been doing very much to relieve such as would otherwise suffer a long time before they would make their wants known; and, as good works should

always receive encouragement, I hope we shall, as citizens, nobly support these humane and benevolent associations.

I would add one word in behalf of the board of health:

They are often called to places which are obviously unhealthy, and a nuisance to all residing in the neighborhood; but, until our system of sewerage is completed, it is impossible to make permanent improvements.

I believe, however, it is time when the public should demand that back yards should not be used for pig-stys and outbuildings; that all stables have water-tight, cemented cellars; and that, as our sewers are extended, owners of tenement houses and others should be *compelled* to use them for sink drains and water-closets, as an open sink drain is the most fruitful source of typhoid fever which is known among medical men.

It is a source of regret that our school buildings have been erected with so little regard to ventilation and drainage; and I hope, as our sewers are extended into the vicinity of each of these public institutions, that improvement, so long needed, will be made at once.

G. P. CONN, *City Physician*.

## REPORT OF THE CITY MARSHAL.

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*To the City Council:*

Gentlemen,—I have the honor to present for your consideration my report of the business of the police department of the city of Concord for the year ending January 31, 1874.

The whole number of arrests made during the year, not including those made at Fisherville, were 357, as follows:

Intoxication,	125
Keeping liquor for sale,	38
For being out late at night,	33
Assault,	32
Noise, brawl, and tumult,	17
Larceny,	16
Suspicious persons,	15
Disturbing the peace,	14
Rude and disorderly conduct,	13
Ran away from school,	6
Selling liquor,	5
Insane,	5
Common loafer,	5
Common seller of liquor,	4
Truancy,	4
Cruelty to animals,	3
Adultery,	2
Driving horse farther than stipulated,	2
Common prostitute,	2
Evading railroad fare,	2
Breaking and entering,	2
Obtaining goods under false pretence,	1
Putting obstructions on railroad,	1
Common drunkard,	1
Breaking glass,	1
Malicious mischief,	1
Keeping open saloon after 10 o'clock,	1
Keeping open saloon on Sunday,	2
Careless driving,	1
Fornication,	1
Forgery,	1
Bastardy,	1
<b>Total,</b>	<b>357</b>

Of the above cases, 148 were arraigned before the police court charged with the following offences, to wit:

Keeping liquor for sale,	37
Intoxication,	33
Assault,	28
Rude and disorderly conduct,	13
Larceny,	9
Selling liquor,	5
Common seller of liquor,	4
Cruelty to animals,	3
Keeping open saloon Sunday,	2
Evading railroad fare,	2
Breaking and entering,	2
Adultery,	2
Common drunkard,	1
Breaking glass,	1
Bastardy,	1
Forgery,	1
Careless driving,	1
Keeping saloon open after 10 o'clock,	1
Fornication,	1
Putting obstruction on railroad,	1
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And were disposed of by the police court in the following manner:

Sentenced to pay fines,	85
Ordered to recognize to appear at the supreme judicial court,	53
Discharged,	3
Sentenced to the house of correction,	2
Sentenced to the reform school,	2
Ordered to recognize to keep the peace,	2
Dismissed, or <i>not prossed</i> ,	1
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	148
Whole number of lodgers accommodated at the station house during the year,	359
Whole number of prisoners and lodgers,	716
Discharged from custody without complaint for what seemed to be good and sufficient reasons,	209
Respectfully submitted.	

JOHN CONNELL, *City Marshal.*

CONCORD, Jan. 31, 1874.

*To the City Council :*

The undersigned respectfully submits the following report of the doings of the police department in ward one for the year ending Jan. 31, 1874:

Whole number of arrests made during the year,	61
Intoxication,	19
Larceny,	6
Keeping liquor for sale,	6
Selling liquor,	2
Assault,	3
Rude and disorderly conduct,	3
Ran away from home,	2
Cruelty to animals,	1
Common loafers,	4
Driving horse farther than stipulated,	1
Sodomy,	1
For neglecting to appear at supreme judicial court,	1
Insane,	1
Swindling,	1
Careless driving,	2
Disturbing the peace,	4
Truancy,	2
Malicious mischief,	2
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Of the above cases, 27 were arraigned before the police court charged with the following offences, to wit:

Intoxication,	11
Larceny,	3
Keeping liquor for sale,	6
Selling liquor,	1
Assault,	2
Rude and disorderly conduct,	2
Cruelty to animals,	1
Careless driving,	1
—	27

And were disposed of by the police court in the following manner:

Sentenced to pay fines,	19
Ordered to recognize to appear at the supreme judicial court,	6
Dismissed, or <i>nolle prosequi</i> ,	2
—	27

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN CHADWICK, *Ass't City Marshal*.  
FISHERVILLE, Jan. 31, 1874.

## Report of the Police Justice.

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*To the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord:*

The Police Justice herewith submits the twenty-first annual report:

Thirty-one civil actions have been entered in the police court during the financial year, terminating with this date.

Two hundred and thirteen persons, charged with the commission of various criminal offences, have been arraigned before the police justice during said year.

An account of those prosecutions, in which the city marshal and the assistant city marshal have participated, may be found in their respective reports of this date.

The police justice charges himself as follows:

Amount of costs received in such criminal prosecutions,	\$1,286.33	
Amount of fines received,	996.13	
Amount of costs in civil actions,	24.17	
	<hr/>	\$2,306.63

And discharges himself as follows:

Paid said officers' fees, witnesses' fees, &c.,	\$1,057.87	
Paid for blanks and other expenses,	17.62	
Paid city treasurer,	1,231.14	
	<hr/>	\$2,306.63

Of the number charged with the commission of criminal offences, an unusual proportion have been before the police court for examination merely,—the final disposal of whose cases devolving upon the supreme judicial court.

SYLVESTER DANA, *Police Justice.*

CONCORD, January 31, 1874.

*To the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen of the City of Concord:*

The Special Justice of the police court herewith submits his report for the two years last past:

There have been entered before him to January 31, 1874, four arraignments for criminal offences, three of which were transferred to the supreme judicial court, and one was discharged.

During the last year there were seven arraignments before him for such offences, in one of which the respondent was discharged; in two others the parties recognized to answer before the supreme judicial court; one was committed to jail, and the three others were sentenced to pay fines and costs.

The city marshal's report will sufficiently explain the nature of the several offences.

The special justice charges himself with		
amount of costs in said criminal prosecutions,		
	\$51.43	
Fines,	22.00	
	<hr/>	\$73.43
And discharges himself with amount paid		
city marshal, officers' and witnesses' fees,		
	\$39.31	
Paid balance to city treasurer,	34.12	
	<hr/>	\$73.43

A. FLETCHER, *Special Justice.*

## REPORT OF THE CITY SOLICITOR.

*To the City Council:*

The suits of John B. Palmer *v.* Concord, and Chase Philbrick and Jeremiah Donovan *v.* Concord, mentioned in my last report as then pending, have been tried, each resulting in a verdict in favor of the city. The former case has been carried to the law term of the supreme court upon exceptions taken by the plaintiff, and is now before the court. Judgment has been ordered upon the verdict in the latter case.

The only suit now pending against the city is one brought by Jonathan Kimball for alleged damages caused by falling upon a sidewalk in front of the residence of E. H. Rollins.

CHAS. P. SANBORN, *City Solicitor.*



R E P O R T  
OF THE  
TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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*To the City Council:*

The report of the librarian of the Concord Public Library to the trustees, forwarded with this report of the trustees, shows that the condition of the library is as favorable as it has been for past years.

The increase of books by donation is very encouraging, and it is to be hoped that the good example of the donors may be followed by many others.

By the report of the treasurer it will be seen that there is now in the treasury the sum of \$301.64. It was thought to be a matter of necessity by the trustees that there should be published a full and complete catalogue of the books of the library. This is now being carried out, and this money in the treasury has been held in reserve for this purpose. This, of course, prevents the purchase for the present of such books as are very much needed. It is to be hoped, however, that our city fathers will make up this need by a liberal gift from the city treasury.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JAMES H. EAMES,

*In behalf of the trustees of the Concord Public Library.*

February 20, 1874.

## REPORT OF LIBRARIAN OF CONCORD PUBLIC LIBRARY TO THE TRUSTEES.

Your librarian would respectfully submit the following report of the condition of the library at the close of the year :

Number of volumes in library at last report,	5,983
Books added by purchase,	134
Books added by donations,	131
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Number of volumes now in library,	6,248

The donations were as follows: From a friend, through Rev. N. Bonton, D.D., eighteen volumes; United States Bureau of Education, four volumes; Hon. B. Wadleigh, five volumes Public Documents; Hon. S. N. Bell, six volumes; and from the Concord Agricultural Library Association, ninety-seven volumes of agricultural books,—a very valuable donation, as the books are the best published on the subject of agriculture.

The majority of all the books missing at the annual examination have been returned to the library at the date of this report. The number missing was one hundred and fifty-four. The number of persons using the library during the year, eight hundred and fifty-three, being a small increase over last year.

FRED. S. CRAWFORD, *Librarian*.

CONCORD, Feb. 1, 1874.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

*Charles W. Sargent, Treasurer, in account with Concord Public Library.*

1873. Dr.

February,	For balance of cash on hand, per last report,	\$187.42
Dec. 3,	City appropriation in part,	250.00
Dec. 15,	City appropriation in full,	250.00
Dec. 15,	Interest on bonds (legacy),	124.50

1874.

January,	Library receipts, per Crawford,	160.95
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		\$972.87

1873. CR.

Feb. 25,	By paid for "Seward's Travels,"	\$6.00
Feb. 25,	F. S. Crawford, bill for binding,	38.80
April 11,	F. S. Crawford, salary,	62.50
Nov. 4,	J. D. Page, books,	6.50
Dec. 3,	E. C. Eastman, agent, account,	110.91
Dec. 3,	E. W. Hopkins' bill,	15.50
Dec. 31,	Republican Press Association,	19.50
1874.		
Jan. 17,	F. S. Crawford, salary,	187.50
Jan. 17,	F. S. Crawford, binding and repairing,	161.00
Jan. 17,	E. C. Eastman, agent,	63.02
Feb. 19,	Balance, cash on hand,	301.64
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		\$972.87

The foregoing report of receipts and expenditures for the past year is respectfully submitted.

CHAS. W. SARGENT, *Treasurer*.

CONCORD, Feb. 17, 1874.

## REPORT OF CEMETERY COMMITTEE.

*To the City Council :*

The Cemetery Committee beg leave to submit their annual report.

### BLOSSOM HILL CEMETERY.

#### PAID OUT.

Paid city one half receipts for sale of lots,	\$531.20	
J. W. Fiske, N. Y., for fountain,	158.00	
Railroad, freight on fountain,	8.34	
D. Hoyt, hauling,	4.00	
J. B. Ellis, team and hauling,	8.75	
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, hardware,	4.27	
Laborer. 33½ days, @ \$2,	67.00	
Plan of cemetery,	4.00	
Wm. P. Silver, paving,	21.00	
C. W. Paige, superintendent,	100.00	
J. H. Morse, bill plumbing,	219.18	
Concord Water-works,	501.60	
J. M. Jones, team and hauling,	97.50	
	<hr/>	\$1,724.84

#### RECEIVED.

Balance from last year,	\$503.15	
For sale of lots,	1,062.40	
	<hr/>	\$1,575.55
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		\$149.29

#### DUE.

S. C. Eastman, treasurer, for over drafts,	\$123.95	
Geo. A. Blanchard, money advanced,	25.34	
	<hr/>	\$149.29
C. W. Paige, balance account,	\$6.85	
Thomas Carley, balance wages,	177.00	
Charles C. Lund, water valve,	23.00	
Luther Roby, for 2½ cords manure,	15.00	
	<hr/>	\$221.85
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Whole amount of indebtedness,		\$371.14

*Due the City, February 1, 1874.*

For purchase of land for B. H. Cemetery,	\$1,942.68	
Interest,	116 57	
Late addition to Cemetery,	3,562.50	
Interest,	71.25	
	<hr/>	\$5,693.00
Less paid the city for one half receipts for sale of lots, 1873,		531.20
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		\$5,160.80

It will be seen by the above statement that the committee have expended \$371.14 more than the receipts of the past year. The introduction of Long Pond water was attended by considerable expense, but it is believed that the great advantage gained by it fully justifies the cost. The fountain in the grass plot on the summit is of neat but inexpensive design, and the two drinking fountains are for use rather than for beauty. The laying of the main pipe, and all the plumbing, have been done in the most thorough and substantial manner, and more beautiful fountains can be placed in the location of the present ones, whenever the city can afford it.

It is a matter of congratulation that the city has purchased the additional land (about twenty-three acres) for an extension to the present limits of the cemetery. It is now desirable that this addition should be carefully surveyed and plotted, so that the necessary improvements may be commenced as soon as possible. The committee understand that this land was purchased on the same general terms as the original tract, viz., that the first \$1,500 received for the sale of lots should be applied to laying out and embellishing the grounds, and that thereafter, one half the money received for the sale of lots should be paid to the city until the purchase-money was paid.

It seems very desirable to the committee that a sufficient sum of money should be appropriated for the purpose of putting the new part into as good order as possible, at as early a date as practicable, and that the lots in the best locations should be sold at such increase from former prices as will make the income materially larger. There will be plenty of cheap lots, and

there should be an opportunity for those who are willing and able to pay more for choice locations to do so.

The committee are aware that many things need to be done in both the old and new cemeteries, but the funds at their disposal are so limited that it is not easy to keep the cemeteries up to their present standard,—much less to make the various improvements needed to make these burial-places what they should be. They hope that the citizens will be disposed to make such appropriations as will enable them to make these cemeteries every way a credit to our city.

CHAS. C. LUND,	}	<i>Cemetery Committee.</i>
ENOCH GERRISH,		
GEO. A. BLANCHARD,		

## Reports of the City Liquor Agents.

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### *To the City Council:*

The undersigned respectfully submits the following report of his agency in the purchase and sale of wines and spirituous liquors in the city of Concord, for the year ending February 1, 1874.

Amount of stock and fixtures, Feb. 1, 1873,	\$522.43	
Since purchased,	3,108.10	
Amount profit on sales,	688.19	
	————	\$4,318.72

### *Contra.*

Amount of stock and fixtures, Feb. 1, 1874,	\$781.62	
Received for liquors,	3,508.10	
Received for casks,	29.09	
	————	\$4,318.72

### CASH ACCOUNT.

Received for liquors and casks,	\$3,537.10
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### *Contra.*

Paid for liquors,	\$3,108.10	
freight and express,	39.25	
incidentals,	61.00	
agent's salary,	300.00	
Cash on hand,	28.75	
	————	\$3,537.10

Profits above expenses,	\$259.19
Whole number sales,	7,571

Respectfully submitted.

J. E. CLIFFORD, *Agent.*

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE—Merrimack ss. }  
February 9, 1874. }

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

THEOPHILUS MARTIN, *Justice of the Peace.*

*To the City Council:*

The undersigned respectfully submits the following report of his agency in the purchase and sale of spirituous liquors at Fisherville, in the city of Concord.

Liquors on hand, Feb. 1, 1873,	\$300.00	
Since purchased,	350.00	
Freight and express.	17.50	
Agent's salary,	75.00	
	————	\$742.50

*Contra.*

Sales to date,	\$450.00	
Liquors on hand,	275.00	
Fixtures,	12.25	
Cash on hand,	5.25	
	————	\$742.50

Number of sales, 875.

Respectfully submitted.

C. C. TOPLIFF, *Agent.*

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE—Merrimack ss. }  
February 4, 1874. }

Subscribed and sworn to before me,

W. H. BELL, *Justice of the Peace.*



## CHIEF ENGINEER'S REPORT.

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*To the City Council :*

In compliance with section 3d of an ordinance relating to the Fire Department, I have the honor to submit this, my first Annual Report, for the year ending January 31st, 1874 :

### FORCE OF DEPARTMENT.

The entire force of this department consists of one chief engineer, eight assistant engineers, and one hundred and ninety men, divided as follows :

Within the precinct: One chief engineer, five assistant engineers, twenty-four members of steam fire engine companies, thirty-six members of hose companies, twenty members of hook and ladder company. Total, eighty-six men.

Without the precinct: Three hand engine companies, viz., "Pioneer," No. 1, Fisherville, fifty members; "Old Fort," No. 2, East Concord, thirty members; "Cataract," No. 3, West Concord, thirty members. One assistant engineer is resident in each of these localities. Total, one hundred and thirteen men.

During the year, several important changes have been made in the department. Hook & Ladder Company, No. 1, has been reorganized, and increased to twenty members.

Concord Railroad Hydrant and Hose Co., No. 1, twenty-four men: also, Northern Railroad Hydrant & Hose, No. 2, twelve men, have been disbanded; and two new hose companies have been formed, of twelve men each,—one at the North and another at the South end. These companies are constituted of carefully selected men, and are believed to be prompt and efficient; and in this connection it may be said that the entire department is composed of good and reliable men, united, effective, and deserving of all praise in the discharge of their duties.

#### APPARATUS.

The department now has in use two steamers,—one first class and one second class; one horse hose carriage and two hand hose carriages, all built by the Amoskeag Manufacturing Co. The last two are new, and were put in service during the year. They are constructed in the best manner, and are considered good and reliable. The hook and ladder truck, built by the Abbot, Downing Co., is also a first class piece of apparatus. Eagle hose carriage has been repainted and repaired throughout, with all the modern improvements added, and is now in excellent order and condition.

Our entire apparatus I consider complete, and believe it will compare favorably with any in New England.

#### HOSE.

Prior to the first of October, 1873, the department had in use three thousand feet of two and one half inch steamer and hydrant hose, in a fair condition for service. At the recommendation of the board of engineers, the city council purchased fifteen hundred feet leather hose of Samuel Eastman & Co., of this city, making a total of forty-five hundred feet, for precinct department.

At Fisherville, there is six hundred feet of new and three

hundred feet of old two-inch hose ; East Concord has three hundred and seventy-one feet of new and three hundred feet of old : and at West Concord there is about five hundred and fifty feet, making the total amount of hand engine hose two thousand one hundred and twenty-one feet.

## HOUSES.

Under this head I would earnestly call attention to the immediate wants of that portion of the fire department located on Warren street, and would recommend that suitable buildings be erected as soon as possible, in some central part of the city, for the use of the two steamers, Eagle Hose, and Hook and Ladder companies, those now in occupancy being totally unfit in every respect.

Steamer house on Warren street presents a forlorn appearance, showing the march of time and decay. The structure now occupied by the hook and ladder company was originally built as a temporary shelter, hastily and rudely constructed. It is insecure, and inadequate for the requirements of this branch of the department.

When we consider the amount of property these buildings cover, it seems that the request for the removal of these causes for general dissatisfaction is just, and one that should be promptly granted.

During the past year a very neat brick house has been erected on Washington, near State street, for the use of Alert Hose Company, No. 2, which is creditable to the city, and of great advantage to the department.

A new brick building at the South end, corner of Cross and State streets, is nearly completed, and will provide the same accommodation to Good Will Hose Company, No. 3, as that at the North end gives to the "Alert."

The houses without the precinct, at Fisherville and West Concord, are in good order. The house at East Concord is somewhat dilapidated, and needs thorough repairs to render it serviceable.

## LONG POND WATER.

The introduction of Long Pond water, and the placing hydrants throughout the streets (the location of which is given elsewhere), has proved of inestimable advantage for fire purposes, as has been fully attested at the different fires that have occurred during the year.

Especially do we mention two,—that at J. H. Rowell's stable, and the Abbot, Downing Company's shops,—both of which might have spread into serious conflagrations but for this means of extinguishment. It is a matter of general congratulation that there now exists no cause for future anxiety in this respect.

## FIRES AND ALARMS.

During the year the department has been called out to fires and alarms fifteen times, as follows :

March 7th, 1873. An alarm of fire at Fisherville, in the boiler house connected with the cotton mill of J. S. Brown, caused by sparks from the furnace door. Loss trifling.

March 16th. Alarm of fire, caused by burning of chimney at the Elm house. No aid needed from the department.

May 15th. J. H. Rowell's stable, rear of Phenix hotel, was entirely consumed, and the warehouse owned by Hutchins & Co. was also destroyed; iron store of Walker & Co., slightly damaged, as was also the flour store of Whitcher & Stratton, and building of J. L. Mason. Cause, probably accidental. Losses as follows: J. H. Rowell, on building, \$3,000—insured fully; on stock, \$600—insured. Hutchins & Co., loss on building, \$8,000—insured; on stock, \$2,350.20—insured. Whitcher & Stratton, loss on building, \$175—insured; on stock, \$50—insured. William Vogler, loss on stock, \$180—fully insured. Walker & Co., loss on building, \$125; on stock, \$50—insured. J. L. Mason, loss on building, \$150—insurance, \$75. J. R. Crocker, loss on furniture and live stock, \$525—insured. At the same time

a dwelling-house on Chandler street, owned by the Concord Railroad Co., took fire from the sparks, and was entirely destroyed. Loss, \$500—insurance, \$300. Total loss, \$15,705.21—insurance, \$15,630.21.

May 16th. J. Putney's store at East Concord was burned. Loss on building, \$1,000—insured, \$800 ; on stock, \$300—no insurance. Total loss, \$1,300—insurance, \$800.

May 30th. Alarm of fire at Page Belting Co.'s shops, which was extinguished by their force pumps without aid from the department. Loss trifling.

June 30th. Fire at the North end, in the carriage manufactory of S. M. Griffin & Co., which, with the dwelling-house occupied by him, was destroyed. The fire communicated to the North church, which was entirely destroyed, and thence to the chapel on the west, which was partially burned. From Griffin's house the flames spread to barn and storehouse, which were destroyed. The barn of Lyman Merrill was also burned, and an unfinished house belonging to him was partially consumed. From Mr. Merrill's premises the fire communicated to the house of Sylvester Dana, situated on Pearl street, which was also burned. The losses are as follows: S. M. Griffin, loss on house and ell, \$2,500—insurance, \$1,700 ; on contents of shops, \$4,000—insurance, \$800 ; on furniture and household goods, \$750—insurance, \$200. The loss of the North church is estimated at \$15,000—insurance, about \$4,600 ; \$2,000 additional insurance was also held by the pew-holders. Lyman Merrill's loss \$700—insurance, \$487.50. Unfinished house, built by G. H. Seavey, was a total loss of \$1,000. Sylvester Dana's loss estimated at \$3,000—insured, \$2,500. Total loss, \$26,950—insurance, \$12,287.50. The cause of this fire was probably incendiary.

July 15th. Abbot, Downing Company's carriage manufactory, which was extinguished without aid of the department. Cause incendiary. Loss trifling.

August 8th. Fire was discovered in the wooden store-

house of the Abbot, Downing Company's works, which soon communicated to the three story northerly building. The second and third floors of this building were used as paint shops. Owing to the dry condition of the building, and the combustible nature of its contents, the fire made rapid progress. After an hour's hard work, the fire was finally brought under control. Entire loss on building and stock was \$19,672.84—insurance, \$19,014.80.

August 30th. Ell of house, owned and occupied by D. W. Fox, on Merrimack street, at Fisherville, which was extinguished by a few pails of water, without aid from department. The fire caught from ashes kept in a barrel. Loss, \$25—insurance, \$25.

September 5th. Alarm of fire at the house of Patrick Haggerty, on Cross street; extinguished without aid from the department. Cause accidental. Loss trifling.

September 18th. The wooden buildings owned by J. R. Hill, in rear of State block, were partially burned. Loss, \$528—insurance, \$528. J. R. Hill & Co., loss on contents of shop, \$400—insured, \$400. Durgin's block was damaged to the amount of \$550—insured. Dr. Guilmette, who occupied most of the second story of this building, lost considerable by the hasty removal of his property. James S. Crockett, organ key maker, who occupied rooms in the third story, had his stock somewhat damaged. The machine shop, located in the basement, was considerably damaged by water. Cause unknown. Total loss, \$1,478—insurance, \$1,478.

September 23d. The Mechanic's block, at Fisherville, owned by Wm. R. Wadleigh and G. W. Abbott, was damaged to the amount of \$500—fully insured; occupied as follows: W. R. Wadleigh, saloon; loss, \$150—insured for that amount. Batty & Co., tin ware and crockery dealers; loss by water and smoke, \$500—fully insured. John Foley, boots and shoes; loss, \$25—insured. Oscar F. French, barber shop and tenement; loss \$50—insured. H. D. White, dentist; loss \$100—no insurance. John C. Linchan, loss by

moving goods from grocery store, \$25—insured. The cause of this fire is unknown. Total loss, \$1,340—insurance, \$1,240.

November 6th. Alarm at house on Franklin street, owned by Charles Mehagan. Extinguished without aid of department. Caused by a defective chimney. Loss trifling.

November 16th. Alarm caused by fire at Contoocookville. Steamer Kearsarge was dispatched, and rendered good service. On the same day, an alarm was caused by the burning of a chimney at Phenix hotel. Department promptly on the spot, but their services were not needed.

December 5th. The steamer Kearsarge was sent to the aid of Suncook without a general alarm being given, but arrived too late to render any service.

January 1st. The wooden building on Main street, owned by J. H. Chase, and occupied by John Williams, saloon; William Gilman, boots and shoes; J. R. Hubbard, cigar shop;—also, the building attached, owned by Williams & Stevens, and occupied as a barber shop by William Sharples. Losses as follows: J. H. Chase, loss on building, \$400—insured. Wm. Gilman, loss on building, \$150—insured. Williams & Stevens, loss on stock and building, \$784—insured. Sharples, loss on stock and furniture, \$100—insured. Total loss, \$1,434—insurance, \$1,434.

The sum total of these losses, which have been carefully collected, is \$67,905.05, on which was paid insurance amounting to \$51,909.51.

### CONCLUSION.

In concluding this report, I would take this opportunity to tender my thanks to the members of the city council for their cheerful endorsement and support of all matters relating to the advancement of the fire department, particularly to the mayor and fire committee, who have always been ready in response to every requirement. I also acknowledge my obligations to the city marshal and the police force for

their cordial efforts. To my assistants, and to all members composing the various companies, I sincerely return my thanks for their promptness and efficiency displayed in every call of duty, and to whose energy and bravery may be attributed all success.

Respectfully submitted.

JOSEPH S. MERRILL,

*Chief Engineer.*

CONCORD, January 31st, 1874.



# ROLL OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

## FOR 1874.

### CHIEF ENGINEER.

<i>Name.</i>	<i>Occupation.</i>	<i>Residence.</i>
JOSEPH S. MERRILL,	Carriage trimmer,	State street.

### ASSISTANT ENGINEERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
JAMES N. LAUDER,	Master mechanic N. R. R.,	Franklin street.
N. H. HASKELL,	Painter,	Perley street.
CHARLES M. LANG,	Painter,	Centre street.
WILLIAM D. LADD,	Iron dealer,	Rumford street.
DANIEL B. NEWHALL,	Saloon keeper,	School street.
JOHN WHITTAKER,	Manufacturer,	Ward One.
CYRUS R. ROBINSON,	Manufacturer,	Ward Two.
WYMAN W. HOLDEN,	Manufacturer,	Ward Three.
<i>Clerk, WILLIAM D. LADD.</i>		

### SCHEDULE OF PROPERTY.

Six fire suits, \$75; 6 badges, \$18;—total, \$123.

#### *Schedule of Property—Steam Fire Department.*

Engine-house and lot, \$2,500; 1 furnace, \$150; stove and funnel, \$20; water-works, \$60; settees and chairs, \$25; 1 wash bench and vise, \$8; 2 beds and bedding and table, \$50; 1 force pump and hose, \$12; 1 iron sink, \$5; 2 tons coal and 1 ton cannel coal, \$52; 5½ cords hemlock wood, \$37; 3 axes, \$8; 1 set steps, 2 baskets, saw and horse, \$6; 3,000 feet 2½ in. steamer and hydrant hose, \$3,000; 1,500 feet 2½ in. steamer and hydrant hose, new, \$2,250; 100 feet rope in hose tower, \$5; 1 coffee boiler and water tank, \$10;—total, \$8,198.

#### *Miscellaneous Property not in service.*

2 hose carriages, \$325, 2 brass trumpets, \$10—\$335; 3 bells, \$8; 1 set new grates for steamer, \$7; 2 brass crank boxes, \$4; 1 lignum-vitæ crank box, \$3; 3 extra lathes for pump packing, \$3; 3 extra pump valve guides, \$3;—total, 363.

## GOV. HILL STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY, No. 1.

## OFFICERS.

RICHARD M. PATTEN, *Foreman*.  
CHESTER BYRON, *Asst. Foreman*.

LEWIS M. BROWN, *Clerk*.  
SYLVESTER G. LONG, *Engineer*.

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Richard M. Patten,	Blacksmith,	Walnut street.
Chester Byron,	Baggage-master,	Prince street.
Lewis M. Brown,	Painter,	Beacon street.
Sylvester G. Long,	Machinist,	Centre street.
Wm. T. Packard,	Moulder,	State street.
Charles H. Sewell,	Teamster,	Warren street.
Frank E. Mitchell,	Clerk,	Rear Cyrus Hill block.
Geo. H. Stickney,	Moulder,	Prince street.
John L. Provancher,	Moulder,	Jackson street.
John Q. West,	Machinist,	Main street.
Charles E. Blanchard,	Painter,	Warren street.
Henry W. Hilson,	Wood-worker,	Centre street.
Lewis A. Wright,	Driver of steamer,	Engine house.

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*Schedule of Property.*

One first class steamer, Gov. Hill, \$2,500; 1 hose-carriage, \$200; 12 fire overcoats, \$90; 12 fire suits, \$120; 12 fire hats, \$75; 2 blunderbusses and nozzles, \$40; 2 horse blankets, \$10; 3 lanterns and 3 fire buckets, \$12; 1 bar, 1 axe, and 1 shovel, \$4; 8 spanner belts, \$8; 8 set spanners, \$6.80; 1 jack screw, \$5; 1 hammer and 2 cold chisels, \$1.75; 2 hydrant wrenches, \$4; 4 clasps, 1 socket, 1 12-in. screw, \$5; 1 suction spanner, \$1; 1 brass oiler, .75; 3 tin cans, \$1.50; 1 hydrant coupling, \$16;—total, \$6,100.80.

## KEARSARGE STEAM FIRE ENGINE COMPANY, No. 2.

## OFFICERS.

GEORGE L. LOVEJOY, <i>Foreman.</i>	A. M. STICKNEY, <i>Engineer.</i>
GEORGE A. GLOVER, <i>Asst. Foreman.</i>	JAS. H. SANDERS, <i>Asst. Engineer.</i>
B. FRANK HARDY, <i>Clerk.</i>	GEORGE E. MINOT, <i>Steward.</i>
WARREN H. CORNING, <i>Treasurer.</i>	THOMAS MURPHY, <i>Driver.</i>

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
George L. Lovejoy,	Carriage-painter,	Corner Fayette and Elm sts.
George A. Glover,	Tinsmith,	Corner West and State sts.
B. F. Hardy,	Clerk,	12 Fayette street.
Warren H. Corning,	Hairdresser,	Warren street.
A. M. Stickney,	Machinist,	Fayette street.
Jas. H. Sanders,	Carriage-painter,	90 State street.
A. L. Currier,	Brakeman,	Hanover street.
D. P. Caldwell,	Cabinet-maker,	Turnpike street.
Geo. E. Minot,	Gas-fitter,	Green street.
D. W. C. Everett,	Clerk,	State street.
John W. Drew,	Merchant,	Warren street.
E. A. Bingham,	Tin-smith,	Green street.
T. Murphy,	Teamster,	Engine house.

*Schedule of Property—Steamer Kearsarge.*

Steamer, \$1200; hose-carriage, \$200; 12 fire suits and 13 fire hats. \$232.25; 10 reefing jackets, \$75; 2 blunderbusses, with spray nozzles. \$53; 1 hydrant coupling, \$16; 3 lanterns and 2 water buckets, \$12; 1 smoke stack, \$10; 10 spanner belts, \$10; 10 sets spanners, \$10; 7 wrenches, \$5; 1 shovel, 1 bar, 1 axe, \$4; 1 poker, 1 oil-can, 5 feet rubber hose, 1 hammer, \$3.50; 1 reducer, \$2.50; 2 horse blankets, \$10; 1 mud apron, \$5; 1 jack-screw, \$5; 2 gallon oil-cans, and 2 hydrant wrenches, \$5; 1 feather duster, 1 hand brush, \$3.75;—total, \$1,862.

## EAGLE HOSE COMPANY, No. 1.

## OFFICERS.

JOHN H. MORSE, *Foreman.*G. W. JOHNSON, *Clerk.*E. F. RICHARDSON, *Asst. Foreman.*C. H. SAUNDERS, *Hoseman.*

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
J. H. Morse,	Plumber,	Spring and Warren streets
E. F. Richardson,	Machinist,	Railroad square.
G. W. Johnson,	Painter,	104 Spring street.
C. H. Saunders,	Machinist,	Cor. Thompson & Jefferson
J. H. Lane,	Carriage-maker,	2 Laurel street.
R. R. Grant,	Blacksmith,	School and Main streets.
F. W. Blake,	Clerk,	16 Thompson street.
Wm. Green,	Machinist,	Cor. Thompson & Jefferson
G. D. Huntley,	Car-builder	Cor. Pleasant and Spring sts
J. H. Quimby,	Machinist,	5 Freight street.
C. N. Sawyer,	Wheelwright.	Turnpike street.
C. E. Barrett,	Machinist.	Cor. Main and Freight sts

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Schedule of Property—Eagle Hose, No. 1.

One four-wheeled hose-carriage, \$700; 1 two-horse pole, \$30; 1 hand pole and rope reel, \$10; 30 feet  $\frac{3}{4}$  inch rope, \$2; 12 fire hats, \$75; 12 reefing jackets, \$90; 14 canvas coats, 14 canvas overalls, \$140; 2 hand lanterns, \$5; 1 axe, \$3; 1 iron bar, \$2; 2 leather hose pipes, 1 Allen's spray and stop nozzle, 1 common nozzle, \$45; 2 reducing castings, \$5; 2 pails, \$1; 1 sprinkler, \$1; 2 chamois skins, \$1.25; 1 whip, \$1.25; 1 horse blanket, \$5; 2 oil-cans, \$1; 2 hydrant wrenches, \$4; 2 ladder straps, \$2; 4 sets spanners, \$6; 4 spanner belts, \$4; 1 broom, .25;—total, \$1,133.75.

## ALERT HOSE COMPANY, No. 2.

## OFFICERS.

WM. E. TUCKER, *Foreman.*J. F. SCOTT, *Clerk.*C. C. CHESLEY, *Asst. Foreman.*G. B. BUZZELL, *Treasurer*

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Wm. E. Tucker,	Organ-maker,	Henry street.
C. C. Chesley	Carpenter,	Prince street.
J. F. Scott,	Carpenter,	Franklin street.
G. B. Buzzell,	Carpenter,	Franklin street.
G. A. Morrison,	Sash, door, and blind-maker,	Union street.
B. Billsborough,	Painter,	Essex street.
Henry Tucker,	Moulder,	Main street.
B. F. Tucker,	Organ-maker,	Chapel street.
W. A. Beane,	Organ-maker,	Centre street.
H. H. Proctor,	Teamster,	Walnut street.
B. P. Davis,	Slater,	Union street.
J. E. Fairbanks,	Stone-cutter,	Pearl street.

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*Schedule of Property—Alert Hose, No. 2.*

Brick house and furniture, \$2,500; 1 four-wheel hand hose-carriage. \$600; 12 fire suits, \$150; 12 fire hats, \$75; 6 spanner belts, \$9; 12 spanners, \$9; 2 blunderbusses and nozzles, \$40; 1 wrench and shovel, \$2.50; 2 hydrant wrenches; \$4; sponge and chamois skin, \$1.40; water pail and dipper, \$1; dust brush and broom, \$1; 13 straps for suits, &c., \$5;—total, \$3,397.90.

## GOOD WILL HOSE COMPANY, No. 3.

## OFFICERS.

WILLIAM LEAVER, *Foreman.*STERLING COLBY, *Clerk.*JOHN McNULTY, *Asst. Foreman.*FRANK BARTLETT, *Hoseman.*

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
William Leaver,	Painter,	Wall street.
John McNulty,	Machinist,	State street.
Sterling Colby,	Clerk,	Elm street.
Frank Bartlett,	Blacksmith,	West street.
William E. Dow,	Painter,	Turnpike street.
Lucian N. Farley.	Tailor,	State street.
Ben S. Rolfe,	Painter,	State street.
Ira E. Demming.	Teamster,	Green street.
Chas. Flanders,	Wheelwright.	Thompson street.
Norman G. Carr.	Jeweler,	Thompson street.
David J. Rolfe,	Painter,	State street.
Norris A. Dunklee.	Stable-keeper.	Fayette street.

*Schedule of Property—Good Will Hose Co., No. 3.*

Brick house, unfinished; 1 four-wheel hand hose-carriage, \$600. 12 fire suits, \$150; 12 fire hats, \$75; 6 spanner belts, \$9; 12 spanners, \$9; 2 blunderbusses and nozzles, \$40; 2 hydrant wrenches, \$4; sponge and chamois skin, \$1.40; water-pail and dipper, \$1; 1 feather duster, \$1;—total, \$893.40.

## HOOK &amp; LADDER COMPANY, "CITY OF CONCORD."

## OFFICERS.

S. W. SHATTUCK, *Foreman.*J. L. T. BROW, *Clerk.*A. H. WEBSTER, *Asst. Foreman.*

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
S. W. Shattuck,	Auctioneer,	State street.
A. H. Webster,	Carriage-builder,	State street.
J. L. T. Brown,	Carriage-builder,	Thorndike street.
Ned Shattuck,	Carpenter,	Beacon street.
John S. Blodgett,	Carpenter,	State street.
N. B. Burleigh,	Machinist,	Main street.
John G. Sanborn.	Furniture-maker,	Thorndike street.
Benjamin Onilette.	Carpenter,	Jefferson street.
C. T. Wason,	Carpenter,	Downing street.
Geo. L. Williams.	Machinist,	Union street.
R. B. Morgan,	Carpenter,	Beacon street.
Chas. H. Sanborn.	Machinist,	Mills street.
Edwin C. Rinnels.	Stone-cutter,	Walker street.
Frank W. Sargent,	Painter,	South street.
Henry Bagley,	Blacksmith,	Dakin street.
S. W. Emerson.	Teamster,	Downing street.
Herman Shattuck,	Painter,	State street.
Chas. A. Wright,	Car-builder,	Pleasant street.
N. H. Shattuck,	Auctioneer,	Union street.
John R. Smith.	Carpenter,	Beacon street.

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*Schedule of Property—Hook and Ladder Co., City of Concord.*

House, \$100; carriage and apparatus, \$1,500; 20 fire suits, \$250;  
20 fire hats, \$125;—total, \$1,975.

## PIONEER ENGINE COMPANY, No. 1.

*Hand Engine, Fisherville.*

## OFFICERS.

RUFUS CASS, *Foreman*,                      ROBERT CROWTHER, *1st Engineer*.  
 ELI HANSON, *Asst. Foreman*,              GEORGE W. COREY, *2d Engineer*.  
    CHARLES G. MORSE, *Clerk*.

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Rufus Cass,	Machinist,	Summer street.
Eli Hanson,	Moulder,	Cross street.
Robert Crowther,	Overseer,	Summer street.
George W. Corey,	Mechanic,	Warren street.
Charles G. Morse,	Moulder,	Main street.
Charles C. Bean,	Job teamster,	Summer street.
Nathan H. Dunbar,	Teamster,	Summer street.
Henry G. Ames,	Wood-turner,	Main street.
James C. Bowen,	Foundryman,	Central street.
Enoch E. Rolfe,	Cabinet-maker,	Church street.
Isaac P. Durgin,	Mechanic,	Summer street.
John S. Boutelle,	Wood-turner,	Warren street.
John G. Warren,	House-builder,	Church street.
Hazen Knowlton,	Mechanic,	Depot street.
J. Edwin Marden,	Machinist,	Summer street.
Frank A. Abbott,	Cabinet-maker,	Merrimack street.
Charles Abbot,	Carder (woollen mill),	Merrimack street.
Abial Rolfe,	Insurance agent,	Depot street.
Abial W. Rolfe,	Sash, door, and blind manuf.,	Depot street.
George P. Meserve,	Wood-turner,	Summer street.
Grant P. Meserve,	Cabinet-maker,	Summer street.
John A. Coburn,	Harness-maker,	Merrimack street.
Moses H. Bean,	Livery and express agent,	Merrimack street.
Elkanah P. Everett,	Mechanic,	Merrimack street.
Moses H. Fifield,	Teamster,	High street.
John B. Goldsmith,	Butcher,	Washington street.
Jonathan Walsh,	Woollen manufacturer,	High street.
Horace Holcomb,	Machinist,	Church street.
Daniel Smith,	Butcher,	Summer street.
Joseph E. Sanders,	Cabinet-maker,	Washington square
John C. Linehan,	Grocer,	Warren street.
John Carter,	Cabinet-maker,	High street.
James S. Crowther,	Manufacturer,	Depot street.
Harmon P. Austin,	Cabinet-maker,	High street.



## MEMBERS—CONTINUED.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>	<i>Residences.</i>
Chas. Couch,	Teamster,	Summer street.
Wm. H. Moody,	Butcher,	Summer street.
Geo. E. Flanders,	Overseer,	Merrimack street.
Wm. W. Allen,	Merchant,	Main street.
Dana J. Mann,	Cabinet-maker,	Merrimack street.
D. Warren Fox,	Merchant,	Merrimack street.
Isaac L. Rogers,	Mechanic,	Summer street.
John W. Powell,	Moulder,	Summer street.
Henry Rolfe,	Carpenter,	Depot street.
Fred. G. Chandler,	Milkman,	Depot street.
J. Barzella Dodge,	Foreman mechanic,	High street.
Emanuel Lebra,	Teamster,	Merrimack street.
Henry T. Foote,	Clerk,	Warren street.
John H. Moore,	Machinist,	Elm street.
Norman D. Corser,	Tailor,	Main street.
Ora Tucker,	Mechanic,	High street.

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*Schedule of Property—Pioneer, No 1.*

Engine House, \$700; 1 engine (hand), \$890; 2 hose-carriages, \$150; 600 feet 2-inch leather hose (new), \$900; 300 feet 2-inch leather hose (old), \$100; 1 set runners, \$5; 5 lanterns, \$5; 3 axes, \$2; 1 crow-bar, \$3; 6 fire jackets, \$30; 2 stoves and funnel, \$40; 6 settees, \$20, 6 chairs, \$3; 1 oil-can and 4 lamps, \$2; 1 fire hook and rope, \$25; 1 signal lantern, \$2; 6 spanners and wrenches, 3;—total, 2,790.

This is a Button machine, playing two powerful and effective streams. The house and entire apparatus are in good order. There are five reservoirs at Fisherville, valued at \$1,300.

## OLD FORT, No. 2.

*Hand Engine, East Concord.*

## • OFFICERS.

FRANK P. EMERSON, *Foreman.*ALBERT H. C. KNOWLES, *Asst. Foreman.*JOHN E. FRYE, *Clerk.*

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>
Frank P. Emerson,	Lumber dealer
Albert H. C. Knowles,	Stone-cutter.
John E. Frye,	Farmer.
Geo. W. Moody,	Carpenter.
Frank V. Osgood,	Blacksmith.
Edmond S. Curtis,	Farmer.
Geo. H. Curtis,	Musical instrument-maker
John N. Hill,	Section man.
Wm. A. Bean,	Brick-maker.
Robert H. Potter	Farmer.
Elbridge Emery,	Farmer.
Daniel B. Sanborn,	Farmer.
Lauren Clough,	Station agent.
Edward R. Noyes,	Brick-maker.
Josiah C. Chesley,	Blacksmith.
Wm. Flanders,	Hose and belt-maker
Ora Hodge,	Miller.
Job C. Jenne,	Carpenter.
Chas. P. White,	Stone-cutter.
Joseph E. Plummer,	Farmer.
Geo. W. Lake,	Farmer.
Charles Sanders,	Teamster.
Frank E. Sleeper,	Carpenter.
Lucias D. Bunnell,	Carpenter.
John Smith,	Stone-cutter.
Harrison Carpenter,	Hose and belt-maker
Lucias A. Bunnell,	Carpenter.
Ami Dubia,	Stone-cutter.
Wm. P. Curtis,	Farmer.
Frank McMurphy,	Miller.

*Schedule of Property—Old Fort, No. 2.*

House, \$300; engine and hose-carriage, \$500; 371 feet new leather hose, \$500.85; 300 feet old leather hose, \$150; 1 pole, for 2 horses, \$16; fire hook and rope, \$15; 1 set runners, \$10; 6 settees, \$24; 2 stoves and funnel, \$6; 2 axes and 1 bar, \$3; 2 lanterns and lamps, \$4; 2 fire suits, \$8; 6 chairs and table, \$3; 4 buckets, \$8; 2 whiffletrees and chains, \$2; stand, glass, and brush, \$1; 1 shovel, \$1; trumpet, \$5; 2 hose and ladder straps, \$3; 2 spanners, \$1.50;—total, \$1,561.35.

This is a Hunneman machine. Its hose and other apparatus are in good repair. The house is very much out of repair.

## CATARACT ENGINE COMPANY, No. 3.

*Hand Engine, West Concord.*

## OFFICERS.

FRANK FLETCHER, *Foreman.*JAMES CROSSMAN, *Clerk.*PATRICK CROWLEY, *Asst. Foreman.*HARRISON PARTRIDGE, *Treasurer.*CHARLES ROWE, *Foreman of Hose.*FRANK FLETCHER, *Steward.*

## MEMBERS.

<i>Names.</i>	<i>Occupations.</i>
Frank Fletcher,	Blacksmith.
Patrick Crowley,	Quarryman.
James Crossman,	Blacksmith.
Harrison Partridge,	Farmer.
Charles Rowe,	Quarryman.
Frank Fletcher,	
H. Harvey Farnum,	Farmer.
George Partridge,	Kit-maker.
John Thornton,	Stone-cutter.
Simeon Partridge,	Blacksmith.
John Mattison,	Quarryman.
Timothy Green,	Spinner.
John Rowe,	Quarryman.
Fideal Richardson	Finisher.
Joel Waller,	Teamster.
John Harrington,	Wool-scourer.
George Killum,	Stone-cutter.
Frank Crossman,	Teamster.
Stephen Abbott,	Miller.
Elbridge Hoit,	Quarryman.
John Gay,	Quarryman.
James P. Darling,	Kit-maker.
Charles Corser,	Kit-maker.
Frank Farnum,	Farmer.
Charles Bessie,	Teamster.
Barney Donohoe,	Quarryman.

*Schedule of Property—Cataract, No. 3.*

House, \$500; engine and hose-carriage, \$600; 550 feet 2-inch leather hose, \$412.50; 1 set runners, \$10; 3 axes, 1 crow-bar, \$5; 2 fire suits, \$8; 4 buckets and 2 lanterns, \$12; 1 trumpet, \$5; 2 stoves and funnel, \$10; 8 settees, \$32; 1 signal lantern, \$3; 6 spanners and belts, \$5; 1 chain and whiffletree, \$2; 2 torches, \$1; 1 monkey-wrench, \$1.25; 3 hydrant wrenches, \$6; 3 reducers, \$7.50; 1 oil-can, 50 cts.;—total, \$1,620 75.

This is a Hunneman machine. The house and apparatus are in fair condition.

## SUMMARY OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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 IN PRECINCT.

Engineers,.....	6
Steamer members,.....	24
Hose members,.....	36
Hook and Ladder members,.....	20
	— 86

## WITHOUT PRECINCT.

Members at Fisherville,.....	50
Members at East Concord,.....	30
Members at West Concord,.....	30
Engineers,.....	3
	—113
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Total,.....	199

## PUBLIC RESERVOIRS.

		Capacity—Cubic Feet.	Value.
1.	Main street, near Abbot, Downing Co.'s,.....	1,000....	\$300.00
2.	“ near Harvey, Morgan & Co.'s,.....	1,000....	300.00
3.	“ corner of Pleasant street,.....	*1,500....	500.00
4.	“ opposite James R. Hill's shop,.....	*500....	150.00
5.	“ south front state house yard,.....	200....	100.00
6.	“ middle front state house yard,.....	*1,500....	500.00
7.	“ north front state house yard,.....	400....	150.00
8.	“ corner of Centre street,.....	600....	250.00
9.	“ rear of city hall,.....	2,000....	400.00
10.	“ opposite E. H. Rollins's,.....	600....	250.00
11.	“ corner of Franklin street,.....	300....	150.00
12.	“ opposite John H. George's,.....	800....	275.00
13.	“ near Francis A. Fisk's,.....	800....	275.00
14.	State street, corner of Washington street,.....	500....	200.00
15.	“ opposite Winter street,.....	500....	200.00
16.	“ in high school yard,.....	3,000....	800.00
17.	“ corner of Pleasant street,.....	1,000....	350.00
18.	“ near Geo. H. Emery's,.....	1,000....	300.00
19.	“ corner of Thorndike street,.....	1,000....	300.00
20.	“ corner of West street,.....	800....	275.00
21.	South street, corner of cross street,.....	800....	250.00
22.	“ near A. Downing's,.....	1,000....	300.00
23.	Thompson street, near Geo. W. Crockett's,.....	1,100....	300.00
24.	Pleasant street, near George H. H. Silsby's,.....	900....	300.00
25.	Rumford street, near Josiah Minot's,.....	1,000....	300.00
26.	Orchard street, corner of Pine street,.....	4,000....	600.00
27.	School street, near J. V. Barron's,.....	3,500....	500.00
28.	Washington street, near Rumford street,.....	800....	300.00
29.	Prince street, near D. E. Smith's,.....	1,000....	300.00
30.	Centre street, corner of Union street,.....	1,000....	300.00
31.	Gas Holder, rear of Main street,.....	41,000....	
32.	*School street; well in front of N. White's.		
33.	Main street, near Thorndike street,.....	1,500....	600.00
34.	Franklin street, near Henry street,.....	1,500....	600.00
35.	Iron pipe to state house reservoir, and to gas- holder tank,.....		1,000.00
Total,.....			\$11,675.00

\* Supplied from reservoir in union district, high school yard.

# SCHEDULE OF CITY PROPERTY—FIRE DEPARTMENT.

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Engine house, lot, furniture, and hose,.....	\$8,198.00
Engineer's Department,.....	123.00
Steamer Gov. Hill,.....	3,100.80
Steamer Kearsarge,.....	4,862.00
Eagle Hose Co., No. 1,.....	1,133.75
Alert Hose Co., No. 2, and house and furniture,.....	3,397.90
Good Will Hose Co., No. 3,.....	893.40
Hook and Ladder Co., No. 1,.....	1,975.00
Pioneer, No. 1, Fisherville, including house,.....	2,790.00
Old Fort, No. 2, East Concord, “.....	1,561.35
Cataract, No. 3, West Concord, “.....	1,620.75
Miscellaneous property not in use,.....	363.00
Reservoirs and pipes attached,.....	11,675.00
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	\$41,693.95

## FIRE-HYDRANTS.

STREET.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
Main.	South-west corner Main and Penacook,	1	
"	East side Main, near J. B. Walker's,	1	
"	West side Main, opposite Church,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Franklin,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Washington,	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Chapel,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Court,	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Montgomery,	1	
"	South-east corner Main and Free Bridge road,	1	
"	South-west corner Main and Park,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Capitol,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and School,	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Merrimack block,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Warren,	1	
"	South-east " Depot,	1	
"	North-west " Pleasant,	1	
"	North-east " Freight,	1	
"	North-west " Fayette,	1	
"	East side Main, opposite Thompson,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Cross,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Thorndike,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and Perley,	1	
"	East side of Main, opposite Abbot, Downing Co.'s shop,	1	
"	North-west corner Main and West,	1	24
Turnpike.	West side Turnpike street, opposite Gas,	1	1
State.	North-west corner State and Penacook,	1	
"	" " Walker,	1	
"	" " Church,	1	
"	" " Tremont,	1	
"	North-east " Washington,	1	
"	South-east " Downing,	1	
"	North-east " West,	1	
"	North-east " Turnpike,	1	
"	West side State, opposite Court,	1	
"	North-west corner State and Maple,	1	
"	North-east corner State and Centre,	1	
"	East side State, opposite state house,	1	
"	South-west corner State and School,	1	
"	North-west corner State and Warren,	1	
"	North-west corner State and Pleasant,	1	
"	East side State, opposite Wall,	1	
"	North-west corner State and Thompson,	1	
"	South-west corner State and Monroe,	1	
"	East side State, opposite Laurel,	1	19
Green	East side Green, opposite Prince,	1	1
South.	North-west corner South and Fulton,	1	
"	West side South street, opposite Monroe,	1	
"	" " Laurel,	1	
"	" " Downing,	1	
"	West side South, opposite Wall,	1	5
Spring.	South-west corner Spring and Oak,	1	
"	West side Spring, opposite Cross,	1	
"	West side Spring, opposite Perley proposed extension,	1	3
Bradley.	East side Bradley, opposite Highland,	1	1
Walnut.	North-east corner Walnut and Franklin,	1	
"	West side Walnut, opposite Beacon,	1	
"	North-west corner Walnut and Washington,	1	3
Church.	North side Church, opposite Henry,	1	1
Franklin.	North-west corner Franklin and Jackson,	1	1
Centre.	North-west corner Centre and Rumford,	1	
"	North-west corner Centre and Spring,	1	2
Washington.	South-west corner Washington and Union,	1	1
School.	North-west corner School and Spring,	1	
"	" School and Merrimack,	1	2
Warren.	" Warren and Rumford,	1	

## FIRE-HYDRANTS.

STREETS.	LOCATIONS.	Number.	Total.
Warren.	North-west corner Warren and Tabanto,	1	
"	South-east corner Warren and Liberty,	1	
"	South-west corner Warren and Merrimack,	1	
"	North side Warren, opposite Fruit,	1	5
Duncklee.	North-west corner Duncklee, opposite West,	1	1
Jackson.	North-west corner Jackson, opposite Beacon.	1	1
Pleasant.	South side Pleasant, opposite Rumford,	1	
"	North-west corner Pleasant and Green,	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Pine,	1	
"	South side Pleasant, opposite Liberty,	1	4
West.	North side West, near Mills,	1	
"	North side West, opposite Dakin,	1	2
Railroad.	North-west corner Railroad and Railroad square,	1	1
Pine.	South-west corner Pine and Centre,	1	1
Perley.	North-west corner Perley and Grove,	1	1
Laurel.	North-east corner Laurel and Pierce,	1	1
Thorndike.	North-east corner Thorndike and Grove,	1	1
Cross.	South side Cross, opposite Jefferson,	1	1
Fayette.	South side Fayette, opposite Elm,	1	1
On Main Pipe.	East side State, at Foster-ville,	1	
"	West side State, at intersection of Walnut,	1	
"	West side State, near City Farm buildings,	1	
"	West side State, near Mr. Kilburn's,	1	
"	West side State, near G. E. Holden's,	1	5
	Total,		89
PRIVATE HYDRANTS.			
	State Prison yard,	2	
	Abbot, Downing Co.'s yard,	2	
	Page Belting Co.'s yard,	2	
	Total,		6



R E G U L A T I O N S

FOR THE

CONCORD PRECINCT FIRE DEPARTMENT,

ADOPTED BY THE BOARD OF ENGINEERS, JANUARY, 1874.

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ARTICLE 1. Any engine or hose company, running out a line of hose from a hydrant or steamer, shall be entitled to the pipe, although the hose of other companies may be attached in order to reach the fire ; and any company, coming to a fire, and finding an incomplete line of hose laid out from a hydrant or steamer, shall attach to and lengthen out such line, in lieu of laying a line of its own.

ART. 2. When two or more engine or hose companies are playing in a continuous line, the pipe shall belong to the company attaching to the hydrant or steamer, as provided in the foregoing article ; but any company furnishing the *entire* line, and receiving water from a steamer, the pipe shall belong to such company so receiving.

ART. 3. Each engine and hose company shall have equal claim to the hydrants ; but it is enjoined upon the engine companies to draught their own water from a reservoir, wherever a suitable one can be found within reasonable distance.

ART. 4. No company shall take possession of a hydrant or reservoir, unless their hose and apparatus for attaching to

the same are at hand and ready for use. The company which shall be thus ready shall be entitled to such hydrant or reservoir; but, upon the order of an engineer, another company may attach a second line of hose from such hydrant or steamer, in case the same may be necessary,—such company having first laid its hose, and being ready to attach the same.

ART. 5. In proceeding to, working at, or returning from fires, noisy demonstrations are strictly prohibited, and it is required of officers of companies to maintain perfect order and decorum in their respective commands during all such service.

ART. 6. No company, while returning from a fire, will be allowed to proceed faster than a walk, and at all times to keep on the right of the street. Drivers are strictly enjoined, in proceeding to a fire, to use the utmost care and caution consistent with promptness. Racing between companies is forbidden under any circumstances. Any collision or casualty occurring to horses or apparatus will be considered a sufficient cause for the suspension of the driver in charge at the time.

ART. 7. The bells will at first ring a general fire alarm; and, when the locality of the fire is known, the number of the Ward will be struck, and repeated for the space of at least ten minutes.

ART. 8. No member of any company shall leave the city without first informing his foreman; no foreman or assistant engineer, without first notifying the chief engineer,—in each case the party so leaving providing a substitute.

ART. 9. In case of fire, the foreman first arriving shall be in command until the arrival of an engineer.

ART. 10. Any order issued by the chief, or an assistant engineer, shall be promptly obeyed.

ERRATA. On page 5, eighth line from top, read N. C. Taplin instead of “C. C. Topliff.”

On page 32, third line from top, read 1885 instead of “1855.”



